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. Wilson, Kobo 25th January.

EHIPING.

ARRIVALS.

February I, KWANG-LEE, Chinese steamer, 1,508

Echruary 1. CHI-VURN, Chinese-str., 1,211, R.

February 1, MEEFOG, Chinese steamer, 1,338.

February 1, BROOKLYN, American frigate, B

February I, TITAN, British steamer, 1,554, R

Coal.—BUTTERFIELD & SWILE.

20. Ichang, British str., for Ningpo.

21, Sin Nanzing, British str., for Chefoo.

21. Ingo, German steamer, for Nagazaki

21. Activa, German str. for Nagasaki.

22. Fuh We, British str., for Hankow.

22. Kung-pai, Chinese str., for Chefoo:

22. Hangchow, British str., for Amoy,

22, Pechili, British/str., for Amov.

23, Titan, British str., for Nagasaki.

23, Ichang, British str., for Ningpo.

21. Kiang-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo.

21. Djemnah, French str., for Hongkong.

22. Lee-yuen, Chinese trans, for Chinkiang,

22. Chateaubriand, British bark, for Amoy.

21, Fushun, Chin me str., for Swatow.

21, Agamemnon, British str., for London.

21. Sual, British str., for Hankow.

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Massekosten. Das Schlussverzeichniss ist auf

der Gerichtsschreiberei des Kalserlichen Konsu-

' Swatow, den 27ten. Januar 1888.

nieders ningt worden.

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L. HAESLOOP.

Der Verwalter der Konkonramasse

vod Schlar & Co.

£1,000 -/ an die Masse gezahlt worden sind.

J. Brown, Nagasaki via Amoy 27th Jan.,

24th, General.—C. M. S. N. Co.

R. Andrew, Shanghai 9th January, Gene-

Null, forang 20th January, and Singapore

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AUCTIONS.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

FINE following Particulars and Conditions

MONDAY.

the 6th day of February, 1888, at 4.30 P.M.

are published for general information.

Particulars and Conditions of the letting

ublic Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY

FREDERICK STEWART.

- Colonial Secretary. -

to be held on the spot, on

Colonial Secretary's Office,

Hongkong, 28th January, 1888.

By Command.

of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, ITHE Steamship

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

(Florio and Rubattino United Companies)

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO, AND

having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness

of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods

with the exception of Opium and valuables, are

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DOWNS, Wanghai, whence delivery may be ob-

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the 4th February, 1888.

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The Performance will be under

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Governor of Hongkong

GRAND NON-SMOKING ENTERTAIN

the 6th day of February, 1888, at 4.30 P.M., by the Wharf are at liberty to do so. Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annual. CLEARANCES. Commanding Troops China & Straits Settle-Order of His Excellency The GOVERNOR No Claims will be admitted after the Goods On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per Hongkong, 1st February, 1888 menta; and Col. ANDERSON & OFFICERS on mes d'arbour Master's Officé. of ONE LOT of CROWN LAND, in the Colony have left the Godowns, and all claims must be Annum on the daily balance. 58TH REGIMENT. of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years. sent in to the Undersigned before the 5th IST FEBRUARY. APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL February, at 4 P.M., or they will not be re-PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. Falkenburg, German str., for Saigon, ALL KINDS. PART I. BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the cognized. Boundary | 5 _ | > Will consist of an Entertainment Clara, German str., for Haiphong. HALANCES of such Marine purchased No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Mg. JOHNSON, Entitled Auction at the Government Building, in the 2 5 Locality LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. San Pablo, Amr. str., for Yokohama. advantageous terms. Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 6th ments. ME_JOHNSON'S GARDEN PARTY: Queen's Road, immediately opposite the NAVAL Agency of the National Life Assurance * Ningpo, British str., for Shanghai. February at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent where the usual MINSTREI, RING will be formed DOCKYARD, at 9.30 A.M., on SATURDAY Hongkong, 28th December, 1887. SOCIETY. the rate of one cent per package per diem. Kashgar, British str., for Singapore. NEXT, the 4th instant. E. W. RUTTER W BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED CARLOWITZ & Co., PART II. Kutsung, British str., for Singapore Manager, Hongkong Branch. ft. ft. ft. ft. Will consist of a TO-MORROW (FRIDAY). 3rd instant. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. [6] GRAND SELECTION OF VARIETIES, Hongkong, 30th January, 1888. Photographic Almanack, 1888. Hongkong, 2nd February, 1888. DEPARTURES. including some of the latest arrivals. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL Whitaker's Almanack, 1888. February 1, THALES, British str., for Swalow T ONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE side of STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. Routledge's New Almanack, 1888. CORPORATION. PRICES OF ADMISSION:-COMPANY, LIMITED. February 1, CHANCELLOR, British str., for Mount LIMITED. Bruce Shepherd's Hongkong Almanack. Gough NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Front Beats...... 0.50. Royal Warrant Pay and Non-offective Pay. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. The February, 1, PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO, Brit Soldiers & Sailors in) . [420|530|264| | 64|71500|262|2150| THE NINETEENTH | 55 | Peak" Ball Room Guides. Uniform to Back Seats RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000 str., for Swatow. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, AND Stamp Albums. February I, KASHGAR, British str., for Bombay. SINGAPORE. Tickets can be obtained for the Dress Circles COURT OF DIRECTORS:-Colour Boxes-Oil Water. THE Company's Steamship February I, Kutsang, British str., for Singaat the Office of the Company. Pedder's Street, on MONDAY, the 20th February instant, at at KELLY & WALSH's, others at the door. Hon. JOHN BELL IEVING-Chairman. Mathematical Instruments W. H. FORBES, Esq.—Deputy Chairman, D. Bottomley, Esq. | Hon. A. P. McEwen. Ladies' Chit Cases in Plush and Leather. Doors Open at 8.30. Commence at 9 P.M. February I, SAN PABLO, Amr. str., for San GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. having arrived from the above Ports, Consigneds Accounts to the 31st-December, 1887, the S. C. Michaelson, Eag. W. O. Brodie, Esq. New Waltzes-New Sougs. Francisco. H. L. Dalrymple, Req. J. S. Moses, Esq. By kind permission of Col. Anderson and Report of the General Managers, and to elect a of cargo are hereby informed that their Cheap Commercial Envelopes. L. Poesnecker, Esq. E. A. Solomon, Esq. H. Hoppins, Esq. Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Difficers, the Band will play during the Interval. February 1, ALDEN BESSE, Amr. bark, for San-Consulting Committee and Auditors. INHE following Particulars and Conditions B. Liyton, Eeq. Cheap Commercial Note Paper. Fodowns of the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf & The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company Francisco. of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction. CHIEF MANAGER. Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 20th day Sweet Caporal Cigarettes. Accompanyist......Mr. GOULBOURNE to be held on the Spot, on February 1, KWANG-LEE, Chinese stoamer for Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. delivery may be obtained. of February instant, both days inclusive. WEDNESDAY. Stage Manager.......Mr. F. HUTCHBY. Turkish Cigarettes. Wham pos. MANAGER Business Manager MR. H. FRANCIS No Claims will be admitted after the Goods JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., the 8th day of February, 1888, at 4 P.M., Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esc. Gold Flake Tobacco. have left the Godowns, and all claims must be Hon. TreasurerLIEUT. E. O. SMITH. . General Managers, are published "- general information. London_Bankers—London & County Bank. PASSENGERS Myrtle Grove Tobacco. sent in to the office of the Undersigned before Hongkong, 1st February, 1888. By Command. Noon, on the 7th February, or they will not be FREDERICK STEWART Japanned Tin Despatch Boxes. Hengkong, 2nd February, 1888. Hongkong-Interest Allowed. recognised. Colonial Secretary. Blotting Pad Diaries. Per Chisques, str., from Penang and Singa-PUBLIC AUCTION. On Current Deposit Account at the Tate of ROYAL, No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Colonial Secretary's Office, pore.-430 Chinese, for Swatow and Amoy _WALTER W. BREWER per cent, per Annum on the daily balance, Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 7tl Per Kwang-lee, str., from Shanghai. - Mr. J. 27 Hongkong, 28th January, 1888. UNDER HONGRUNG HOTEL. THE Undersigned has received instructions CITY HALL. On Fixed Deposits:— February will be subject to rent. For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. Dick, and 119 Chinese. to Sell by Public Auction, on TELLY & WALSH, LIMITED Particulars and Conditions of the letting l Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless Per Titan, str., from Nagasaki, &c.—155 Chi-For : 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. SATURDAY. THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY Public Auction Sale, to be held on WEDNESnotice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. the 4th February, 1888, at 2 P.M., at his DAY, the Eth. day of February, 1888, at TO-DAY. The HONGKONG ALMANACK, 1888, by Sales Rooms, Queen's Road. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. 4 P.M., by Order of His Excellency THE WILL PERFORM Bills of Lading will be Countersigned by— Bruce Shepherd containing Tide Tables for Pur San Pablo, str., for San Trancisco.—Mrs. AN-ASSORTMENT-OF-CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and GILBERT & SULLIYAN'S OPERETTA GOVERNOR, of Two Lors of CROWN A. C. Wayne, Mr. Samson Freid, I European and ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., JAPANESE WARE. Hongkong, Bangkok. Saigon, Haiphong, and every description of Banking and Exchange LAND, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a "THE SORCERER." 136 Chinese in steerage. For Liverpool.—Mr. Woosung Bar, Tidal Constants for all Ports $\operatorname{Comprising}:$ term of 75 years. Hongkong, 31st January, 1888. T. Morgan Boyd. For London.—Mr. and Mrs. SATSUMA, KANGA, IMARI, KIOTO, and TORIO THURSDAY, 9TH. FEBRUARY, DEAFTS granted on London and the chief in China and the Straits Settlements, Light PARTICULARS OF THE LOTS. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION W. Christy For Yokohama—2 Chinese in VASES. JARS BOWLS, INSENCE commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Houses and Light Vessel Fog Signals on the at 9.0 CLOCK P.M. BURNERS, TEA & COFFEE SETS, EGG Boundary COMPANY, LIMITED. America, China and Japan. Tickets may be obtained from Messrs. LANE China Coast corrected to date. Notes on Local Measure-SHELL WARE, ENAMELLED WARE. CRAWFORD & Co., on and after WEDNES Tides, Calendars and Astronomical Phenomenæ FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND · 중열 Locality. ments. BRONZES. KAKIMONOS. EMBROI-REPORTS. Chief Manager. DAY, 1st February, at 9 A.M. Price, \$2. for the year computed to Hongkong Civil Time DERIES & EMBROIDERED SCREENS. Hongkong, 25th-January, 1888. The British steamer Titan, from Nagasaki via Information respecting the Colony and the R. LYALL THE Company's Steamship N. B. E. W. Amoy 27th January, reports had strong N.E. Several Government Departments, Meteoro-Acting Hon. Becretary. NOTICE.-A TERMS OF SALE .-- As Customary. monsoons with cloudy weather and rain through- logical and General Statistics, Postal Informa-Hongkong, 28th January, 1888. t. ft. ft. ft. J. M. ARMSTRONG, tion, Stamp Duties, Wages or Income Tables DULES OF THE HONGKONG having arrived from the above ports Consiguees in Dollars from One Dollar to Two Hundred SAVINGS BANK. of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their ZETLAND The Chinese steamer Chi-quen, from Penang Hongkong, 2nd February, 1888 and a Mass of useful Local Information not Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counter-South side 20th January, and Singapore 24th, reports from FOR SALE otherwise accessible in a handy form. 1.—The business of the above Bank will be signature and to take immediate delivery of their Lots of Mount 24th January to 30th, had light to moderate N. Mr. Bruce Shepherd's New Map of Hongkong. AT REASONABLE PRICES. goods from alongside. conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai and N.E. winds and fine weather; afterwards No. Kellett. Whitaker's Almanack, 1888. Banking Corporation, on their premises in Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once 56 The Peak 298 298 163 163 48574 180 1460 TANGING AND TABLE SAFET strong N.E. winds, high sea, and thick rainy REGULAR MEETING of the above landed and stored at Consignee's risk and ex-British Journal Photography Almanack. Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 Between Christmas Numbers of The Queen, Truth, to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1 Mount HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW EVEN-MANUFACTURED BY World, Chatterbox, English Illustrated, Gentle-2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., ING, the 3rd February, at 8.30 for 9 P.M., MESSES, DEFRIES, SONS & Co., LONDON. KelletR'd man's Magazine, Belgravia, Harper's Monthly, one time will not be received. No depositor General Managers. AMOY SHIPPING. and Aberprecisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having. Judy Annual. Hongkong, 30th January, 1888. Those Lamps have the following advantages [228] over any others, viz., they can burn any kind of Punch's Almanack, 1888. 24, Weachow, British str., from Shanghai. Road 89 107 146 145 14210 52 430 TOCONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO Hongkong, 27th January, 1888. China, its Social, Political and Religious \$100 or more at their credit may at their option 21. Haitan, British str., from Foochow. Mineral Oil consuming 25 per cent. less than EX O.S.S. CO.'S S.S. "ORESTES," others, giving an equal Brilliancy of Light, and if upset the Light is extinguished at once, Life, from the French of G. Eug. Simon. transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shong-21. Centaur, German bark, from Chefoo. AUCTION SALE OF HORSES. FROM LIVERPOOL. Leech's lictures from Punch complete in one bai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 21, Yehsin, Chinese str., from Swatow. 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 2. Formosa, British str., from Tamsui. thereby ensuring perfect safety from fire. NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 4th CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG. 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per These Lamps are on View at the residence of the Undersigned, No. 138, Bonham Strand, 1st. 22. Bellerophon. British str., from H'kong. of March proximo, there will be at the Undersigned not later than the 2nd Febr SANITARY NOTIFICATION. annum will be allowed to Depositors on their 23, Fee-chen, Chinese telg. str., from Foochow. CAVALBY QUARTERS of Hanoï, Tonkin, a Public for shipment per steamer. "PALINURUS." daily balances. 23, Oscar Mooyer, German bark, from Chefoo. Floor, and also at the NAM HING LOONG SMALL POX. "BÛTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Auction Sale of 40 ARABIAN HORSES and UTLER, PALMER & Co. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied grati 23, Annie Reed, Amr. bark, from Hongkong. SHOP, Queen's Road Central and Praya HORSES of FRENCH BREED. Hongkong, 28th January, 1888. THE SANITARY BOARD desire to urge on the Central. ESTABLISHED IN 1815. with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with 24, Borneo, Dutch.str., from Batavia. - H VERLEYE. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. public the necessity, for the purpose of each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must 24, Namoa, British str., from Hongkong. OF LONDON, BORDEAUX, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY KUNG KEE. Consul for France. disinfection, of steeping all bed-clothes and wearing apparel, used by persons suffering from not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Hongkong, 2nd February, 1888. 24, Swatow, British str., from Swatow. MADRAS, LAHORE, KURBACHEE, &c. Hongkong, 28th January, 1888. Books, but should send them to be written up MONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer 24. Hangchow, British str., from Shanghai. FOR SHANGHAL Are represented in China by ... 24, Pechili, British str., from Shanghai. at least twice a year, about the beginning of SMALL-POX, in boiling water for at least 15 HONGKONG! CANTON, AND MACAG TIHE Steamship January and beginning of July. are hereby notified that the Cargo is being disminutes before allowing such articles to go to 25, Hak Lee, Danish bark, from Nagasaki, STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED charged into Craft, and/or landed at the the wash 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the 25, Zafiro, British str., from Hongkong. SIEMSSEN & Co... " NINGPO." Bank if marked On Hongkond Savings Bank 25. Thales, British str., from Taiwanfoo. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. & by Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. Captain F. Schulz, will be despatched for the H. E. REYNELL & Co. in Japan Business is forwarded free by the various will lie at Consignees risk. The Cargo will be 25, Fushiki Maru, Jap. str., from Hongkong WM. EDWARD CROW, above Port TO-DAY, the 2nd instant, at British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. THE FORTY-THIRD ORDINARY
HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF 27, Claro Babuyan, British bark, from Chefoo, ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on Honorary Secretary to Subjoined are some of the items consigned by FOUR P.M., instead of as previously notified. 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand Јапцагу---and after the 29th instant Sanitary Board. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. these well-known Shippers but the personal attendance of the Depositor or 20, Thales, British str., for Taiwanfoo, Goods undelivered after the 5th February, will SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be Hongkong, 27th January, 1888. his duly appointed Agent, and the production of 22, Haitan, British str., for Swatow. held at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's the subject to Rent. SPIRITS. NDREW Hongkong, 1st February, 1888. JOHNSTON his Pass-Book are necessary. 22. Bellerophon, British str., for Shanghai. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 4th Febru-COGNAC-The popular "4 Star" quality and FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOCO. For the Hongkong and Shanghar Bank-Mercur, British sch., for Taiwanfoo. ary, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of Hongkong, 28th January, 1888. CONSULTING ENGINEER. best .-- No better shipped. Weuchow, British str., for Swatow. ING CORPORATION receiving a Report of the Directors together THE Steamship GERMAN BARK'' DOROTHEA." CAPTAIN MARINE HOUES, QUEEN'S ROAD. COGNAC-The well-known "2 Star" quality. Amigo, German str., for Swatow. T. JACKSON. with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Mölker, Prom HAMBURG. Chief Manager. 23, Orient, German bark, for Tajwanfoo. Dividend and electing Auditors. " POLYHYMNIA Plans and Estimates prepared for Light SCOTCH WHISKY, Hongkong, 1st September, 1887. Captain Schaefer, will be despatched for the The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company 23, Yebsin, Chinese str., for Shanghai. PART STEAMERS, STEAM LAUNCHES, MARINE NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abov 23. Formosa, British str., for Swatow. above Ports TO-MORROW, the 3rd inst., at The "CARLTON"—Il years old. vill be CLOSED from the 26th instant to the Evernes and Boilers, and all other kinds of Vessel are hereby requested to send in 24, Andreas, German bark, for Taiwanfoo. The "Heart Shaped Bottle." 4th February inclusive. their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for INTIMATIONS. 24, Fee-chen, Chinese telg. str., for Tamsui. By Order of the Board of Directors, For Freight or Passage, apply to A List of Steamers for Sale always on hand. The "Square Bottle." countersignature and to take immediate delivery 24, Pechili, British str., for Swatew. F. HENDERSON: Hongkong, 5th January, 1888. of their Goods from alongside. 24. Namos, British str., for Foochow. Are C. P. & Co.'s selected Whiskies of perfect (REMOVED). Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE quality, each is well matured and free from 25. Yung Wei, Chinese cruiser, for Foochow. Hongkong, 1st February, 1888. Hongkong, 23rd January, 1888 landed and stored at Consignees' risk and MARINBURK 25, Wei Yuan, Chinese corv., for Foodhow. COMPANY, LIMITED, Fusel oil. HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED. "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. 25, Chi Yuen, Chinese cruiser, for Forchow. The "GLENLIVET" in round bottles is popular ! COLLEGE CHANBERS NEXT TO Daily Press, SIEMSSEN & Co., 4, Club Chambers, Hongrong, FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. 25. Chao Yuen, Chinese craiser, for Foothow. and good, Hongkong: 25, Charley, British bank, for Takao. TRISH WHISKY, THE Steamship THE SEVENTHORDINARY ANNUAL Hongkong, 29th January, 1888. The TELEPHONE EXCHANGE is now in 25, Swatow, British str., for Shanghai. MANUFACTURER OF MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS working order. Only one quality consigned, the best. 25, Zafiro, British str., for Manila. "CARDIGANSHIRE," THE "BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS. FIRST CLASS FURNITURE AND will be held at the Office of the Company, Subscription, \$80 per Annum. 26, Agamemnon, British str., for Hongkong. A. Clark, Commander, will be despatched for Pedder's Street, on FRIDAY, the 10th PORT-" INVALIDS." UPHOLSTERY Electrical Material on sale, or hire. Hangebow, British str., for Swalaw. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. the above Ports on the 8th instant. Every Description in Foreign & Latest Designs. Electric BELLS fitted and maintained. February at Noon, to receive a Statement of hales, British str., for Swatow. Invalids in particular are recommended to select For Freight or Passage, apply to the Accounts of the Company to the 31st Agents for Electric Lighting. Centaur, German bark, for Taiwanfoo. FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, AND this Wine, it is really an INVALID'S PORT. ARTISTIC DRAPERIES AND LAMBRERINS. ADAMSON, BELL & Co., December, 1887, and the Report of the General Estimates free for all kinds of Electrical work. 27. Fokien: British str., for Tamsui. SINGAPORE. Managers. Also to discuss any matters that may DRAWING ROOM AND DINING ROOM SUITES. HAROLD DOWSON, WHE Steamship Hongkong, 2nd February, 1888. be competently brought before the Meeting. For Connoisseurs the following have their own 1629 OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM A Large Variety of latest Style of TAPES-SHANGHAI SHIPPING. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company Hongkong. 26th August, 1887. distinctive merits-"BENALDER. January-TRIES, SILK FURNITURE, PLUSHES in all will be CLOSED from the 31st instant to the SHIP COMPANY. The "INVALIDS" pale, delicate, fine flavor. Captain Thomson, having arrived from the above 18. G. H. Wappaus, Brit, bk., from Foochev TOSEPH GILLOTT'S Colours, Plain and Embossed 10th proximo, both days inclusive. "Amoroso," a Stouter Wine, very popular. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS Ports Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested STEEL PBNS 19, King-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., to send in their Bills of Lading for countersig-TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, "MANZANILLA." a clean dry appetizing Wine. FEINGES, TASSELS, CORDS by the Yard. 19, Kung-pai, Chinese str., from Chefoo. General Managers. nature, by the Undersigned and to take im-"SHERRY-WHITE SEAL," a special favorite in MEDAL, Совр 19. Titan. British str., from Liverpool. MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH Hongkong, 27th January, 1888. PICTURE FRAMES made with Silk Plushes. mediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. AMERICA, AND EUROPE; VIA THE Paris, 1878. China. 20, Sindh, French str., from Yokobama. Hongkong, 10th January, 1888. The steamer is berthed at the Kowloon Piers THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE Sold by all CLARET, 20. Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND and any Cargo impeding her discharge will there ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING Stationers and Dealers. COMPANY, LIMITED. Perfectly pure Bordeaux, not leaded to please 20, Activa, Gorman str., from Nagasaki. be landed into Godowns and stored Consignees GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. STEAMERS. 20, Linnet, British g.v., from Nagasaki. vitiated palates. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS NOTICE! NOTICE! MOUTONin quarts and pints. ENHE Steamship "OCEANIC" will be 20, Tungchow, British str., from Chefoo, TIENDERS will be received up to 9 A.M., on Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless 20. Inge, German str., from Nagasaki. LAROSE.....in quarts and pints. MONDAY, 16th April, 18:8, for RENT-THE NINETEENTH ORDINARY THE CO-OPERATIVE BUTCHERIN despatched for San Francisco, viá Yokonotice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M. ST. ESTEPHE in quarts and pints. 20, Johann, German str., from Kelung. 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Ar times like these the question of the Chi nese attitude towards vaccination bee mes of more than theoretical importance. Europeans out here vacuely know, as correspondents have shown recently in ou columns, that the Chinese practise vacciontion, but of the way in which they regard it and the extent to which they employ it, only order, the initials as well as the surnames a very few, and those what-we may call specialistic sinologues, have any real know-The MAPS and PLANS have been mostly ledge. Even the late Dr. WILLIAMS speaks (" Middle Kingdom," ii., 132) of the adoption of vaccination at Canton as being "still limited," and though he admits that " it has been extended over all the Eighteen Provinces, and the Government has given its sanction and assistance," he adds, "it is chiefly owing to the heedlessness of the people in not availing themselves of it time that it has done no more to lessen the ravages of the disease." Now the best way of ascertaining the views of the Chinese on any particular subject is, as Mr. Giles says in the introduction to his "Strange Stories," the present moment a small pampblet being largely distributed,—unquestionably as an act of benevolence, for it is distributed gratuitously,-by the guilds or clubs at Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by Chaochow, and a copy has come into our the Chambers of Commerce of Hongkong hands. Besides an essay on diagnosis it contains a treatise on Vaccination, which we now propose to examine. "

The treatise was published originally as far back as 1875, and from the preface we learn that it existed in MS. in 1866. preface is, in Chinese fashion, written by a friend of the author, and opens with a highflown, but perhaps not too extravagant eulogium on vaccination. "Vaccination," he begins. " is to small-pox much as a ford or a bridge across stormy waters. An epidemic may be spreading infection every where, but children, not already diseased, can be kept in health without the use of medicine." [Here he draws a vivid picture of a child who, being in ill-health at the time, may take the infection, and whom, he says, not all the skill of the doctors of old could hope to save]. " The art of vaccination came from the West. . Its nepelits are immeasurable; it is 's joy of no medicine, it is the triumph of man's skill over heaven!" [Lest this should seem to verge on the impious we may explain that it a in some sort a pun, for "small-pox" becomes in Chinese "the heavenly flowers" (or efflorescence) and an "opidemic" is "beaven's course."] "The introduction of the lymph by means of a knife resembles the planting of a tree; in 10 days' time the natural virus is expelled, yet the constitution left unharmed, the child crows and laughs as before, and the anxiety of its parents is removed. It is in truth an excellent way of restoring life to mankind, a aubile remedy for the salvation of the world!" Then be introduces his friend the author, one CHANG, whose MS. treatise on vaccination he had perused and now recommends to the reader.

CHANG next appears with his reface (dated, be it observed, in June, 1871) is which he states that he has "practised as a vaccinator for more than 20 years, and basstudied the subject with so much assiduity and has acquired so intimate an acquaint. ance with it that in every case of sickness' presumably sickness connected with vaccination or with small-pox "that has come under his hands he has been anccessful in restoring the nationt to health." He goes on to remark that "there has hitherto been no book of reference available for prescriptions or treatment. Practitioners learnt the this port. method of vaccination from one another, and depended for their treatment on care and plete knowledge had been acquired both of the Audacious and the shore battery. the laws governing each detail, and of the discovery,—a ready means of diagnosing to proceed on to Chungking. " voidness,"-is dwelt on later by the author. of children, and not only has there never 5; Brown, 2; Wilson, 2; Inflorent, 2; Anderbut I have met with the most complete suc-MELBOURNE. Messrs. Norton, Hargrave & Co. | Cess in every case. The people of Chaoyang

deaths from vaccination, a second eruption, and other swils." And so the worthy CHANG determines to let a MS, which he has stowed away for some time in his cupboard see the light, "and thus save babies from these cheste and their knives." His treatise is arranged under severa

antall-pox twodifferent things." He observes: " Vaccine has been introduced into China for some few decades only, and it is only wifhin the last thirty years that the practice of there are still some who look on it with sus - description of Lung Wang, King of the Dragons, occupied being only 8 days 9 hours." picion and mistrust." Now here seemed : capital opportunity for seeing whether Ohinese disbelievers in vaccination, since such there appear to be, object on the grounds of improper interference with destiny, or whether, like the men of Leicester, they consider the grafting into the human person of a new and unhuman disease presumptuous impertinence to the dignity of the body. Any of these objections would, we thought, be reasonably irrational enough ddressed "The Editor," and those on business "The for a Chinaman, but we had not made sufficient allowance for the devinueness of Keng-shing, the civilian quartermaster-general, Chinese mental processes, nor for their theory of small-pox. Every child, says this theory, comes into the world infected with an amount, more at less great, of womb aproar, were murdered too. After this the soldiers passions which gave him birth; and this virus is the attractive cause, or makes bim susceptible to the attack, of small-pox and other silments. The object of vaccination for imported manufactured goods, for which or ineculation is not, as with us, to charge the system with a milder form of the discuss argument of the Chinese anti-vaccinator :---" Small-por breaks out all over the body, but vaccination produces at the utmost ten pustules or so, sometimes, indeed, one, and ever little virus there may be in a ma , you can't pretend that it can all be let out in not very lucidly met by our author, but he knows his audience, and discourses learnedly on the Gate of Life and the Three Passages. As the ignorant foreign anatomists have no yet been able to identify these organs (and indeed, every other Chinaman places them in purely religious aspect of the Chaplain's duties, some different part of the body) it is impossible to translate CHANG'S reply. It would and the provision of a library, etc. "It may seem, however, to have been so far conclusive more civilized parts of eastern Kwangtung, good; and the counter attractions to hands of it is very rare-indeed now to find any one who has not been waccinated or does not have his children v admitted. They are, all the same, only vaccinated once, since the cleanse the body, and a body once cleansed hould in the nature of things, need no further purification. On this point, however.

> some further observations to offer. THE Rev. J. TENISON WOODS, in an article reproduced in our yesterday's issue, made some interesting remarks in connection with the discussion as to the probable duration of the world's supply of coal. In the course of those remarks he mentioned the great effected in the fuel required for the proa recent speech. A small cake of coal, he size of a shilling, when burned in the comship two miles on its way from a foreign

of 3,000 tons, going on a long voyage, might labour has been lessened. In 1870 it reevery 1,000 tons capacity; now only 28 are necessary. Shipowners are apt to look when steamer rates from Shanghai to owners will probably find the value of their property considerably enhanced by the recont rise in the price of metals. It would be impossible to replace steamers now at an thing like the price paid for those built during the last, few years. There to be every prospect of the enhanced price of metals being of long continuance, and if the general improvement of trade of which so much has been heard lately has really set there will be an increased demand for tonnage, which, coupled with the increased cost of steamers, should bring about an improvement in freight rates. The shipping industry has been under a cloud for a long time Let us hope the cloud is lifting at last.

Attention is directed to the new hours of Postal notices on our third page.

inform us that the Shi . Line steimer Cardigan.

with 2,149 tons coal under home charter; there are no vessels loading, and none advised as bomheads, the most interesting of which for our ling here to load. Freight quotations are :- To present-enquiry is that entitled "Vaccine and Hongkong, 11s.; Amov. 14s.; Manila, 12s. 6d. Haiphong, 14s.; Singapore 12s. sailer, 10s. 6d

> Notes, has the following :- In a city full of the made from frongkong, the usual steaming time dance. There was an airtight receptacie, and bably prevented any contaminated air reaching under the name Levisthan. Let your Chinese friends read the graphic pourtraval of that my. . A Football Match, the Club v. R. A. & R. E. sterious creature set forth in Job. and then ask | (Association Rules), will be played to-day, westhem in what points it differs from the real "dra- ther permitting. The Club will wear colours, gonking "of Asiatic reverence, and they will give the Artillery and Engineers white. Play to the Pai Hu of China. These symbols in Chi. | the ground for ladies. The following is the nose literature and in Joh indicate Pride and | Club team :-Inbelief as well as Faith and Humility.

With regard to the very serious events, which necessitated the recent visit of the Viceroy Chang Chih-tung to Hainan, the Shen-pag gives some details from a Chinese letter received, from which it appears that the old story of pay in arrear was at the bottom of the trouble. Su ordered the summary execution of several of the most importunate a ildiers, upon which the whole body became enraged, and carved Su into four quarters. The Major and a District Magistrate, who hastened to the spot in order to quell the poison, or for al virus, generated by the spread themselves over the country, which they are now plundering at leisure.

The Chinese Times says :- The year 1887 d not end well for many of the native Tientsi traders. The floods have lessened the demand there is no market here during the winter, and in consequence many of the hongs find themselves encumbered with too heavy stocks, from but to cleanse it from this virus. Hence the which there will be no relief until trade re-opens to protect the frontier. in March or April next. The dealers in strawbraid, wools, skins, etc., have also large stocks unsold, and the European markets have such' over supplies that it is possible the spring export demand here will be slack. It is a good time for the foreign merchants to combine to enforce reforms in the export trade. If they are firm, the native declers will abandon the two or three pustules!" This argument is requestes practised so generally during the last two or three years, and the trade would then again become sound and reputable.

The Report of the Hongkong Seamen's Chaplaincy for 1887 has been issued. It shows that a large amount of successful work has been accomplished during the year. Leaving aside the much good has been done by the holding of weekly entertainments and temperance meetings confidently said" the Rev. A. G. Goldsmith tells us. "that the humanizing influence of decent that among the Puntis, and generally in the lodging, &c., has not failed to exert itself for vice provided by a good reading room with lending library, the daily local and home newspapers. draughts, dominoes, &c., have helped to show Jack that he may onjoy himself rationally in his own club ashore. Writing paper, and, where necessary, stamps also, are supplied gratis, and Chinese theory holds, as we have seen, that the gratifying result has been that men have the effect of a successful vaccination is to gladly availed themselves of this opportunity of renewing acquaintance with home, often broken, alas! by a long period of years, and as many as 147 letters have been written and handed to the Superintendent to be posted within the past ear." 295 men joined the Temperance Society and on some others about which CHANG has during the year, and to show that sailors can be

enlightened us considerably, we shall have careful of their money when ashore and do not always spend it in reckless extravagance Mr. Goldsmith says that sums of money amounting to some \$600 have been placed in his hands to send home or otherwise take charge of temporarily. 852 visits were paid to ships in the year. and in many cases short services were held with the men during their dinner hour.

A facetious correspondent has written to the Chinese Times in reply to an article which appeared in that paper on Peking. Referring to skin. It was more collapse. In reply to the the dust he says a very elementary knowledge question how long it lasted. Dr. Lewer suid he effected in the smelting of iron. Even more this much vilified dust is a friend in disguise; it and he was sorry that in his wife's case he might is the automatic decoloriser: which makes Peking almost say she was suffering from it now. S so healthy and free from epidemics. As to the was better in December, but the ancemia was so complaint that the drains are choked up and in marked that she was unable to gain strength or pelling of steamships. On this point some many places open at the top, he says this is sine take food. It did not sud in any crisis. Mrs. figures were given by Sir Lyon Playkain in ply a proof, of the advance the Chinese have Lewer had not had fever previous to 1887. The said, which would pass through a ring the dweller in cities has to confront. It would be speaking now of the disease after it had

made in sanitation. "Sewers, and especially whole of the servants were affected. He did not closed sowers, and the most deadly enemies the well if all the sewers in Europe and America changed its type. In Mrs. Lewer's case he were choked up, and if, instead of breeding dis- did not observe fever at all. She was in expound engine of a modern steamboat would ease and polluting our rivers, we were to follow cellent health before October, and his remarks drive a ton of food and its proportion of the the example of the Chinese and turn to profit with reference to the disease applied to the ser the wealth we now convert into postilene." The vants, who had suffered very much indeed. Asked correspondent is also of opinion that it is evid- to describe one of the cases occurring amongst port. This economy of coal has altered the ently better that such dangerous accumulations his servants, he said the malarial fever had been whole situation. Not long since a steamer as liquid sewage should be east on the street and of an ill-defined remittent type, not observing rendered harmless by rapid deodorization than the characteristics of the disease as usually seen that they should putrify and fester in the The type seemed peculiar to Hongkong as he had require 2,200 tons of coal and carry only a noisome recesses of the drains, emitting their not observed it in India or elsewhere. He could limited cargo of 800 tons. Now a modern subtle and deadly exhalations. "The man who hardly say what the average duration was besteamer will take the same voyage with 800 resides in Peking for any length of time tons of coal and carry a freight of 2,200 tons. ested in the various odonrs around him shews | He had had he did not know how many coolies. While coal has been thus economized, human a want of adaptation to, and a lamentable lack | They had had to be carried away in chairs and of interest in, his surroundings. Each street and each portion of each street has its own duration of the attack because they stayed as long quired 47 hands on board our steamships for peculiar and cherished fragrance, so that the as they could do their work and then they were unfortunate blind, instead of wandering in doubt and uncertainty, can go on his way with confi- to anything in the neighbourhood, Dr. Lewer dence and celerity, guided by the unerring evidence of his nose, and no hobby can be more interesting and engrossing than the noting, collating, and analysing the qualities and causes | Wah Hospital and China town below, so much of ... different effluvia. Moreover, medical so that he had been obliged to shut his front now, but after all the present bas its science tells us that we are largely nourished by windows. There was another smell he perceived air, and the benefit derived in cases of phthisis from the west of his house, but this was not from air laden with the scent of pine trees is too sewer air, being more like that of rotten vewell known to need mention. From this it may getation. Smells of sewer air had been very be deduced that, taking into consideration the perceptible in the various highways. They had rich and unctuous nature of its constituents, been present in varying degrees of intensity on Peking air is not only healthy but positively the upper levels generally, but he thought they fattening, a deduction which is borne out by were to be met with in their greatest perfection experience, for many foreigners find themselves at the back of the tanks on the Caine Road, just unaccountably gaining flesh after a few months'

Under the heading "Woman's Rights in especially the former, they had been so bad and

and pose as doctors. In this way occur inner bar, illustrated by diagrams and tables. selves into a pond or lake.

In their soal and freight circular dated New- | The Tientsin correspondent of the Mercury | improvement. He also thought the dead wall a small staff during the summer, but they were castle, N.S.W., 1st January, Messrs. Dalgety says:- Reports reach me from Poking that at the back ought to be removed and another all sick on and off except one man. He dosed & Co. thus refer to the demand for Far Eastern the British and German Ministers and Sir Robert storay added to the coolies house. At present them bimself with quinine, and they recovered. ports - For Hongkong .- The regular steamers. Hart are preparing for a run home by one of the the servants were shut in and got -no air. He The impression left on his mind was that the have taken 5,100 tous coal during the month; first steamers after the river opens; also Mr. and would also like to have something done disease was one of a malarial type. He was catisthere are no fixtures to report, and no vessels Mrs. Rockhill. Report also says that the Rus- with reference to the drainage. He did field with the condition of the coolie house and the available for charter. For Manila.—The only sian Minister may shortly leave for Europe. How not think it a good thing that all kinds way the opolics carried on the latrine work. He

on none. Behemoth in the same connection is commence at 4.45 p.m. There will be a tent on

W. H. Wallace (Capt.)
M. D. Graham, 58th C. W. Dickson G. A. Coldwell A. H. Maolean C. E. Higginbotham, 58th D. H. Mackintonh C. P. Pedler, 58th H. F. "Hall"

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." London, 30th January. THE HEALTH OF THE CROWN-PRINCE.

Dr. Mackenzie states that he is satisfied with the state of health of the Crown Prince of Germany, and that he has decidedly improved. THE SITUATION IN EUROPE.

M. Tisza says that he still doubts the Czar's pacific assurances, and that it behaves Austria to take necessary precautionary measures is order

THE FEVER COMMISSION.

The Medical Commission appointed to enquir into the cause of the fever prevailing in the Western District instagain yesterday afternoon. when evidence was taken as reported below. Before the evidence was entered on it was reported that Dr. Cantlie and Dr. Young had made an inspection of a portion of the district on Monday afternoon last, when they were accompained by the Hon. J. M. Price, who supplied a plan of the drains. It was arranged that the inspection should be continued on Friday, com-Deputy Surgeon General Lewer was the firs witness called. He said he had not had fever

mencing at "Sunnyside" at half-past four. himself, but there had been a great deal in his house. Asked whether he considered the fever malarial or enteric, he said he hoped he might be allowed to qualify his answer, inasmuch as from May to the middle of October the fever was decidedly of a malarial character among his servants. After that time it was of a different type of an anomalous type. As he expressed it in the appendix he signed to His Excellency the Gov ernor, "About the middle of October the cases of fever among my servants and in my household were of an anomalous type and could not be classed by me under the headings of the fever nomenclature in use by the profession, was characterised by gastro-intestinal disturbance, great prostration of strength, faintness almost amounting to collapse, utter loss of appetite, a strawberry tongue, thirst, vertige which necessitated the seizing hold of something to prevent falling, pain over the abdomen skin at times cold and clammy, sometimes actual vomiting of any food taken, and sometimes of glairy muchs only. The loss of strength and prostration were most marked for most of the attack and the resulting anomia from blood found." That was the type of disease so far as not; and if the latter is not malarial how would spoliation, and arrest of assimilative power prohe had been able to observe it. There was no periodicity in it. It was characterised by cold clummy sweats. There was no marked heat of sanitary laws would teach the writer that hardly knew when it ended in his servants cases, remark any elevation of temperature. He was

cause the servants went away. He had had four cooks and four boys, three assistant cooks had died embarked for Canton. He could not state the removed. Asked if he could attribute the disease said he thought he could. There were terrible smells about brought by the wind from the northwest and also from the direction of the Tung before one reached the London Mission house, and in Castle Road which runs up from

Caine Road to Robinson Road. At these places, Kwangtung" we find the following in the Shih- were still that one was obliged to stop one's air pao of the 3rd January:-In the district of passages as one went along. He had noticed that Shun-to in Kwangtung the girls league them- | when the wind became more northerly the stinks selves into societies, and solemnly vow that they | increased in number and attained their maximum will never marry, or that if they marry, they potency. He would also -if they would allow will never consent to cohabit with their husbands him, as China town was in the Western until every member of their society has entered district and came within the scope of the into matrimony. In strict accordance with those Commission's enquiry-like to say a few words vows, the girls, when they marry, invariably go | with regard to its sanitary condition. He thought back to their homes on the third day after mar- | that the effluvia arising from the mass of human ringe, always taking care to preserve their beings terribly overcrowded in houses packed chastity. They do not make their appearance so densely in China town, without perflation by at their husbands' farily again except on the means of open spaces, and the utter disregard occasion of New Year and other important festi- shown of ventilation and cubic or superficial closing the English mails published in the vals, when they come over, and, after remaining space, and the insanitary habits of the native for a day or so, during which time they partake population had been factors in bringing about of neither food nor drink, they take themselves the sickness in the western district, in addition The Agents (Mesers. Adamson, Bell & 'Co.) off with the greatest expedition possible. In to the prevalence of sewer air. Asked if he conthis way young men who are married do not get | sidered the drainage in his neighbourhood deshire, from London, 1. % Singapore yesterday for their wives for years, and in many cases for tens fective, Dr. Lewer said his house was not conof years after their murriage. Those who get nected with the so-called sewerage. The draintheir wives two or three years after marrying age from his house ran on to the hill to the The American frigate Brooklyn, Captain are cases of rare occurrence, and always con- north of his bouse, and there it was observed Wilson, from Robe 25th January, arrived here sider themselves fortunate. If force is reserted giving rise to some very rank vegetation and no attention. In this way, no easy task to their doubt polluting the ground. There was a pipe homes, they always turn this comedy into a which conveyed it down the wall, and it ran on to drained. tragedy by committing suicide. And it is a fact | the open ground and gave rise to rank vegetation, The Upper Yangtsse Steam Navigation Co.'s that the girls frequently conceal within their and if one were to dig down no doubt he would said that personally he had no fewer in 1887. distinctive features of voidness or solidity of steamer Kuling is advertised to leave Shanghai persons some powerful drug, which they take as find the soil polluted to several feet. Another He only resided at the house-he was now in duration of steamer Kuling is advertised to leave Shanghai persons some powerful drug, which they take as find the soil polluted to several feet. Another He only resided at the house-he was now in duration of steamer Kuling is advertised to leave Shanghai persons some powerful drug, which they take as the body." [The vast importance of this last on Saturday, the 4th inst., for Ichang, taking soon as force is applied to detain them Former- thing he should like to speak about was the water ing the latter part of the year. One of his chilpassengers only. We hope she will be allowed by the magistracy was always full of howling supply. There was no water laid on to his dren had three or four attacks of fever in Noparents, who went to sue their sons in law for house, it had all to be carried by hand and stored | vember. The fever commenced with the setting

having caused the death of their daughters At in barrels in a backyard in proximity to a Chinese in of great chills, followed by high temperature, At the annual meeting of Landrenters in length one of the magistrates, becoming utterly latrine, and therefore exposed to the absorption and he thought there was sweating. The fever latrine, and therefore exposed to the absorption and forms part of his theory of small-pox.] Tientsin on the 10th January the following was disgusted with this ridiculous nuisance, and feel- of impurity. It came from a tank and was car-In the townships of Haiyang and Chao, the poll for Municipal Councillors:—Messrs. ing that the girls themselves were invariably ried by his ocolles in buckets and put into vats about two days with cueday between the attacks. Jang I have vaccioated countless numbers Cousins, 37; Startself, 37, Detring, 35; W. H. to be blamed for their foolbardiness, decided that and taken out as required, exposing it to the risk He had resided at the Peak during part of 1887. Forbes 30; Dr. Irwin, 29; Leith, 14; W. Forbes, he would have nothing further to do with such of pollution by so much handling and dipping. When the fever occurred he was residing at lawsuits, and proclaimed that if any should there. The tank from which the water came was a large "Craigalachie," his residence at West Point. He had to be obtained from any source available that if any should there. The tank from which the water came was a large been the least danger of a second eruption, son, 2. The first five gentlemen were accordanced to bring such complaints to him, he one covered with granite. It was the one above Mr. came down from the Peak on the 20th October, after dare to bring such complaints to him, he one covered with granite. It was the one above Mr. would deal severely with them. This decided Wotton's house on the upp. road. He thought, and the fever occurred early in November. step had the desired effect: it diminished by however, there was every chance of the coolies, There had been no recurrence of the attack and Huyang speak of me far and wide as a of the Chinese Light-houses, Light-vessels, other custom quite common with the girls of at the bottom of the hill; tor on one occasion it at the bottom of the hill it at the bottom man of ability, but unhappily in this world Buoys, and Beacons for 1888" published by the this district is to die in company, seven being stank, and he had to have it thrown out. Asked witness replied he had resided there a great Imperial Maritime Customs. In addition to the usual number. Those girls who had taken whather he was satisfied with the arrangement of number of years, that there had been no changes fishes' eyes too often pass for pearle, and the descriptions of the lights it contains three the vow of perpetual chastity, when they discover his coolie-house, Dr. Lewer said." Certainly not." in drainage, and he considered it perfect. child en fall into the hands of illiterate char- charts showing their position, etc. There is also that their parents had betrothed husbands for He would rather not have his house connected eides the child one of his wife's maids had been that their parents had betrothed husbands for He would rather not have his house connected eides the child one of his wife's maids had been that their parents had betrothed husbands for He would rather not have his house connected eides the child one of his wife's maids had been that their parents had betrothed husbands for He would rather not have his house connected eides the child one of his wife's maids had been that their parents had betrothed husbands for He would rather not have his house connected eides the child one of his wife's maids had been that their parents had betrothed husbands for He would rather not have his house connected eides the child one of his wife's maids had been that their parents had betrothed husbands for He would rather not have his house connected eides the child one of his wife's maids had been the child one of his

departure during the month was the Creedmoor, are we to get on when all these wise men depart? of matter should lie out festering in the sun. had never had any complaint until last year; The excreta of course was carried away, but the that was, nothing of a marked character. The The Sydney Morning Herald of the 29th De. Chinese latrine under his window was the only house itself had no drainage at all. The only comber has the following: -"The C. N. Co.'s one for twelve servants to resort to: This, he drainage was from the cook house at the back, steamer Chingtu arrived in port yesterday after- gaid, was utterly insasitary and utterly wrong, and that rab under ground. There was formernoon from Hongkong via ports with passengers. In India they had a very good system of having ly a regular water closet, which he had removed mails, and miscellaneous cargo of Eastern pro- public latrines for servants instead of having so ton years ago. The bath-room water all flowed duce for this port, also Melbourne, Adelaide, and many fooi of disease at private houses. Each over ground. The house was fairly well shut New Zealand. The Chingtu has on this occa- householder paid so much to a common fund in by trees on the south side, and he thought Our Tientsin contemporary, in its Peking sion accomplished one of the fastest runs yet and there was a scarenger in constant attent that during the south-west monsoon that prodragon" symbol, it is interesting and even being 174 days, while the run down from Hong- as soon as the latrine had been used the excreta it. Fever usually occurred in the summer. He

vaccinating has prevailed at Chaochow; but startling to read in the ancient book of Job a kong to Port Darwin is unprecedented, the time was put into this receptacle, serewed down, and had never observed it occur so late before as carried away morning and evening. The changes it had this year. He did not think the seahe had mentioned he thought would be sufficient son had been entra dry. The record showed so far as the house itself was concerned, inde- there had been sixty-six inches of rain, which pendentofits surroundings. He thought, however, was greater than in 1886. Asked if he had something should be done to the coolie house. any complaint to make as regards stinks, It was shut in by his house and a dead wall at the witness replied that during the short time the back and side, and the coolies had complained he resided down below, which was only about to him in the summer that it was so hot that three weeks, whenever he took his walks abroad they could not stay in it. He would strongly he was saluted by most napleasant odours, and recommend the planting of trees on the hill on | more especially past "Sunnyside", where there which his house stool. It was one of the was a native village, where the stench was somesanitary measures he thought essentially ne- thing fearful. All the way along Caine Road cessary. He would strongly recommend that he could delect smalls, commencing at the there should be a large planting of trees of a Artillery Mess, College Gardens, and trace suitable nature, blue-gum trees, for instance, them along. In fact one could shut his eyes The ground also required sub-soil drainage, and | and tell exactly where he was from one end tothe holes that might be seen full of water the other. He had not noticed any swell in ought to be filled in and covered up. There had the neighbourhood of his own house, but his been a good deal of digging in the neighbour- friends told him there was a sewer by his hood. He certainly thought the removal of soil gateway, which was some distance from the had something to do with the fever in his house, house, which was a very pestilent place. It ap-A series of questions were then put to the wit- peared to him that all these drains were noness as to the character of the fever suffered by thing but conduits for leading the stinks up the servants after October, which Dr. Lewer said from Chius town. In fact we got them conwas not typhold but of a typhold type. He did | centrated, and whenever the wind set in from was met with sometimes under circumstances of lated the lower levels. That morning when sawer air poisoning, that was, he did not think it coming from the Peak he saw the vapour being was a new type so far as his experience went. driven up one of the gratings. There had In reply to an interrogative remark by Dr. Man-been a good deal of drainage constructed in his son that it was not described by medical writers. district, and many of the water courses formerly

malarial to both. It was certainly malarial be- being built out westward before 1887 it was not fore October, would you use the word with reference to it since October?

Dr. Lewer-I don't know. Dr. Yarr-Bat in your wife's case? Dr. Lewer-My wife never had malirial fever, cannot call her case m darial. Dr. Manson-I should like a distinct expression from Dr. Lewer as to the type of the disease. whether he considers both malarial, or if one malarial and the other not, which is and which is

Dr. Lawer-You refer to the fever that occurred in October 👫 🐪 Dr. Manson—Yes

air that i , the fever my wife suff red from. Dr. Manson-And the coolies ? coolies. As you know they get all and in a few day. There was no diarrhoes. He had had fever in days they go away and one has not sufficient op- | 1878. He was then residing in "Belmont." portunity of watching them through the attack. He resided in "Belmont" for about eleven years. he had not had fever in 1837. He was residing by going to a house which had been partially at "Hazeldeaue" in Robinson Road. His pulled down and rebuilt and sleeping in a room lieved was of a typhoid character; it was and he had no fever again after that series of

them what her fever was. that Mrs. Brooks had suffered from inter- or two, and his last attack he thought he could mittent fever. It began on the 3rd October | trace to over fatigue. His wife and family had and lasted till the 17th December. There was all suffered from fever of the same type as his periodicity. It came on roughly speaking every | own, except that perhaps in the case of some of Thursday. In 1886 all his family had what was the children the vemiting was absent. They called in those days Hongkong fever. It did | were all treated with quinine and as suffernot last more than two or three days. He did ing from malarial fever. No member not think they even called in a doctor. They of the household had escaped. There took quining and got all right. They were re- was no diarrhoen nor any spots on the skin. siding in the same house at that time. The at- The first attack occurred about the middle tack in 1887 was much more severe than in 1886 of July. His wife had always been subject to Asked if he could ascribe the fever to any local fever. She had it at "Belmont," and one of his condition he said he had been told that the fever | children had it there. His present house was from which Mrs. Brooks suffered was of a mala- | quite a new one when he went into it. He moved rial type, but he did not know, he was not a linto it almost as soon as it was finished. The medical man. At first eight he should not have servants had not been so bad as Dr. Lewer had thought the house was in a malarial spot, but described his as being, but they were nearly all when they came to look at it he thought they attacked. They had had an entire change exwould certainly find reasons for malaria there. cept one old woman, who had been with them for He did not remember ever having observed the | years. The house was not damp when he went smells Dr. Lewer had mentioned. He was sa- in, it was as dry as a chip. There was a good tisfied with the construction of the coolie house. | crypt under the house which you could stand up It was not so well ventilated as it might, be, but in. There was nothing damp about the house. the door was left open when it was not in use. The pictures on the walls were not affected There was no lateine, simply a receptacle taken by damp, and some very perishable painting away every day. There was drainage for the materials had been put in the crypt and they bath water, which went into a drain which was | were as good now, perhaps better, than they would disconnected. It was what was called a catchpit | have been at "Belmont." As to the coolie house, or gully and was carried uplike a chimney but was | while he was living at the Peak he took Mr. quite open to the air. He had once or twice ob- Bird to see it and they found the ventilation served a smell from the shaft and had called at- under the floors was not thorough. The opentention to it. It was trapped below. It had no | ings only existed on two sides, and they were not

the water overflowed into the read below. He had | raised a foot above concrete, and now it was written about it and it was put right. The thoroughly ventilated. It had been flooded wall behind his house was decomposed granite, once, that was owing to the contractor having It was often dripping with moisture and was evaded making a catch-water drain he was supalways damp in wet weather. There had been | posed to have finished. He would not say there were a good deal of turning up of earth for founda- pools of standing water near his house. There was tions of houses and his house was new when he | a stream which fell into pools at one hundred went into it. None of his coolies had died feet from the house. He had seen water escape so far as he knew, but a great many had from the conduit. He meant that there was an been ill and temporarily left his service. Two escape of water there, but he did not know actually who had come back were in a very weak state | whether it came from the conduit, but in the indeed. He thought the district would never be very rainy weather the ground was very sodden free from fever until a large system of subsoil there, and there were pools and accumulations of drainage was adopted. Exposed soil should also water. He had seen water lying in his garden, be covered up with turf or anything else. They the overflow from the stream he had spoken of. would always find fever anywhere where there He had resided in the colony for twenty-two were the conditions that were found in that years. During that time West Point had nover neighbourhood, ramely, humid state of mois- | had the reputation it has now. For the fever in ture, high temperature, and newly cut earth his own family he assigned the going into a new exposed to the direct action of the air. If they house as a contributing cause, but the main cause were to put a town on it, it would probably ours he considered was the earth cutting that had been the malaria altogether.

The Chairman-Provided it were properly

Mr. E. Mackintosh was the next witness. a list of the Foreign and Chinese staff and a them, secretly band themselves together for a with the drain in the present condition of the sick. That occurred at the Peak. She had momerandum on the tides at the Southern and common fate, and straling out in the stillness of latter. He was afraid that if it was they would visited "Craigalachie" as few days previously, ranged that at the next meeting Messrs. Vernon, the was afraid that if it was they would visited "Craigalachie" as few days previously, ranged that at the next meeting Messrs. Vernon, the was afraid that if it was they would visited "Craigalachie" as few days previously. or of medicine provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide themselves with a knife france to the Yangtsze and on the Woosung midnight, hand provide the Woosung midnight with the way with the w

ot think it was a new type of fever but such as | the north it drove them up. That level venti-Dr. Lewer said he had already stated that it could open had been covered up. He would not have a not be classed under the fever nomanclature in drain near his house if he could help it. If there use by the profession, but he thought it was re- was any filth let them see it and remove it. This ferred to in standard works on medicine and es- island was made by nature for surface drainage, not underground drainage. Formerly the drain-Dr. Cantlie said be thought the description | age was not covered up so much as now. He could Dr. Lewer had given corresponded to what was not say whether that was the cause of the fever, described in text books as the result that would be could only refer to the coincidence. arise from sewer gas phisoning, but there was He had no practical knowledge of the matter. no technical description that would answer it. The covering up had been going on for years. Dr. Lewer, continuing, in reply to Dr. Jordan, His house was perfectly healthy before 1886. who asked whether from the type of fever His coolies had not suffered to any marked exbeing more prevalent among the coolies the tent b fore last year. He thought Chinese cooposition of the coolies' house might be suf- lies always suffered from malaria according ficient to account for it without any sewer to their own description, that was, they would gas poisoning, said that undoubtedly the coolies come and say they were hot inside. In 1870 were very badly placed from a sanitary point of the coolies affored, and his own boy died. At view, down in the hele where they were without | that time foreigners did not suffer at all the any air, but he would rather not hazard an | way they had done of late. At that time the opinion that that would account for the fever | drains were not so perfect as now, or, as he would without poisoning from sawer gas. He had say, so imperfect. In reply to Dr. Manson, the already recommended that another storey be witness said there were no sewers or drains at added for the coolies and the ground floor used | Quarry Bay. People died there from fever, and as a kitchen. He thought there was great some seasons of the year were more unhealthy risk of contracting malarial fever by sleeping than others. He could not say whether it was the on the ground floor. That was his experience | same type of fever. He would leave that to the elsewhere, and here the soldiers in the barracks | medical attendant. There had been a good deal were quartered on the top floor, and the basement of earth outting and building in the neighbourwas either turned into a store or remained open. | hood of West Point, including the forts. Asked The reason of that was to place the men above as to the commencement of the smells, he said that the malaria which rose a certain distance from in 1886 he was at home, but in 1885 he noticed the ground but not to the height of a storey. They were beginning, and in 1887 they were much If it was necessary to find a name for the more pronounced than before. He could not say fever from which his servants had suffered whether the bad smells were the cause of the he thought it might be called typhoid-mala- | fever, but he did not think a had smell was a rial fever. It was not an enterio fever, not a healthy thing to have. He thought the type of fever in 1870 was the same that his family had Dr. Cantlie-But would you attach the word suffered from recently. When bouses were a matter of notoriety that people in the neighbourhood got lever, but in those days overybody had fever more or less. He would not say that it was looked upon then that person living out westward would necessarily have fever, but at that time it was thought that everybody who

came out to the East would have fever. Dr. Lewer sud there was one thing he had omitted to mention, and that was that quining

had no effect on his wife's fever. Mr. Coughtrie was next examined. He said he had fever in 1887, tolerably fraquently to: wards the end of the year, but he had not kept any record of the dutes. The at acks, which Dr. Lewer-Well, I have not been able to trace | were all, of the same character, commenced by it home, you know, but I put it down to the sower | severe chills lasting sometimes for hours, and then relief would come in the torm of heat During the chills there was violent sickness and Dr. Lewer-I would not be so certain as to my | vomiting. The attacks accurred about every other Major Brooke, B.E., was then called -- He said | He thought the fever be had there was caused which he be with new bricks and mortar. That passed away. not supposed to be malarial. That was in June, attacks, which might have leated a month or two, His wife had fever in October. Dr. Manson | until 1887, on going into his present house. In attended the child and would be able to tell November he went to the Peak; be had attacks of fever there The symptoms were the same. Dr. Manson said it was a simple continued fever. but he thought the attacks were brought on Major Brooke, continuing his evidence, said perhaps by neglecting to take quinine for a day

charcoal top. It had been choked once, when all opposite to each other. It had wooden floors going on in the neighbourhood, cutting a passage through the hill a little way from the house and bringing the earth and laying it on the road They were not at all bothered at his house with the smells that had been referred to by Dr. Lewer. On the contrary they were delighted with the climate. There were no drains connected with his house. He thought-the fever from which the servents suffered was of the same type as that from which his family suffered, but he could not say positively. While they remained he used to send them doses of quinine, which he understood were administered, but they preferred to pack up and go away. He did not remember seeing any of them in a chill. Water had seen Major Brooke's coolies taking water from what were certainty very filthy sources. It might not be intended for drinking water, per-

> that they did so. This was all the evidence taken, and it was ar-

> haps it was for bath water. The coolies were

supposed to get the water from a certain source,

but it was impossible to go after them to see

SUPREME COURT. 1st Fabruary

In SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFORE Mr. A. J. LEACH, ACTING PUISNE JUDGE. -

PRO TRUE HUNG V. YAU LUR AND ANOTHER The hearing of this suit was resumed Mr. Wotton appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Ewens for the first defendant. Yau Luk the first defendant, was called and swore that he had never given any promissory note to the plaintiff or anthorised the se defendant, who was his partner, to do so. signature on the promissory note was not his. The second defendant had told-him that he had

borrowed money from the plaintiff. Kwok In Kai, the second, defendant was then examined at some length. He denied having borrowed the money. Yau Luk borrowed it und signed his (witness's) name on the note. As Yau Luk was his partner and had told him the loan was only for a month he did not raise any objection to his name being put to the note. The signatures on the promissory note were in

the handwriting of Yau Luk. denied that he had ever borrowed money from

but never satisfactorily. Mr. Wotton said that the case for the tiff had been fully substantiated. The evidence was of three kinds—interested, disinterested, and documentary. The interested evidence was that of plaintiff herself and her amah: the disinterested was that of the accountant, and the documen. | own expenses, tary consisted of three documents which had been put in bearing the signature of Yau Luk. The evidence for the defence was a bare denial substantiated by nothing. In comparison to this he would ask! his Lordship to consider the evi dence of the plaintiff and that of her witnesses. and he thought his Lordship would come to the conclusion that har story was the correct one. His Lordship, in giving judgment, said that the plaintiff in the snit was suing on a promissory note which she alleged had been signed by both defendants. The promissory note was for \$220 and was dated 21st November, 1885 was admitted that an additional term had been added to the note and that the penalty had been paid and the note stamped under the provision of the Stamp Ordinance. The plaintiff stated that \$200 was the actual advance. \$20 being the interest at ten per cent. per month opium. for the first month, at the end of which the money was to be repaid. The money was not paid then and four months was allowed to clapse. when further negotiations were entered into and it was agreed that the interest for three months should be added to the amount and the future inerest to be three per cent, per month and il the whole was repaid. The case had been before him previously and he had non-suited the plaintiff board asked-him to look after her things which because her evidence was not corroborated. He non-suited her so that she might be able to

bring another-action it she were in a position to substantiate her statements. Her evidence was to leave the wharf. to the effect that the defendants were partners in a contract relating to Taitam waterworks. The first defendant applied for money to the second, who went to plaintiff, who was a relative of his, and borrowed the money. The promissory note was drawn up, and, according to plaintiff, signed by both defendants. The second defendant said that the first signed both names, and although in his heart he did not like his name being put to the bill, yet as the first defendant was his partner he did not like to object. There could be no doubt, if his story were true, that he was equally responsible Plaintiff's ariah had said that on several occasions she went to the first defendant's shop and that on three different occasions he had paid her \$15. \$10. and \$10. That of course was evidence of the debt. The amah's evidence was also corroborated by that of a clerk employed by the Hu Kee, on whose premises defendants' firm resided, and who both used the same counting

the taxing of costs.

secrete to Mr. Wotton's request with regard to ly honoured and reverenced? The question is on the right and left being pretty solid, the fire twenty-three patients. The Boys' School of the four feet deep: You put your foot in to try the the first defendant.

HO SHU v. LEDNG CHAP. This suit again came on for hearing. Mr. Wilson (of Mesers Wotton and Descon's

the defandant. Mr. Wilson renewed his application to be allowed to call rebutting evidence with regard to that put forward by the defendant with reference to how the stem of his vessel became damaged. He knew nothing of this part of the evi dence until his own case was closed and two witnesses for the defence has been examined. He thought that he was now in a position to prove that the damage had not been occasioned by a collision on the 25th September as stated.

Mr. Caldwell said his friend would be quite right to call rebutting evidence if such evidence as he was going to produce would contradict some point in defendant's case, which was not only fresh but material. Assuming that his a friend proved that the Fi-shun did not collide with any vessel on the 25th September and was she collided with their junk on the 23rd October? He submitted that Mr. Wilson's application ought not to be granted, as the evidence he point and would not advance the case one iota. His Lordship said he thought that if Mr. Wilson could prove that such a collision as stated by the defendants to have occurred on the 25th September did not take place on that date and material to the case, and he therefore gave Mr.

Wilson leave to produce such evidence. present, and asked for an adjournment. His Lordship said there were so many cases some reduction and smelting works there. day, but the case might be mentioned on Friday

POLICE COURT.

1st February. Before Mr. A. G. Wise.

DEMANDING MORE THAN LEGAL FARE. days' hard labour each.

ALLEGED LARCENY BY A WATCHMAN. - was discharged...

ful possession of two pieces of silk, of the value the fumes off clear of the works. of \$30, on the 30th ultimo.

the boarding house, but had no brother there. cres. metals, &c.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

OPTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENCES . So Aho, anemployed, was brought up, on remand on a charge of, together with another man. obtaining money under false protences. charge was brought by one Ng Kwai Lan. a widow who said that she lived in Lower Lascar Row. The defendant was formerly in employ as cook, and left her service on the January. On the 22nd Jan, shout four p.m., defendant and other man, whom she did not know, and who was dressed in a long cost, came to her house. Defendant introduced that man as the cousin of her son-in-law. Who was called Chan Avone and was married to her grand daughter, named Ching Yuk Liu. Defendant Chinese Court and that he was the cousin

gave the name of the consin as Cheung. The consin himself said that he was an officer in a complainant's son-in-law. He said that he came to sottle as go-between about the marriage, and that he wanted some money to pay expenses. Witness offered him \$10, but he wanted \$200 After talking a long time witness agreed to pay him \$164, which she paid him then and there is the presence of witnesses. Defendant and the said his case really rested on the weakness of man then went away. Her daughter was only that of the plaintiff. Plaintiff had brought two betrothed, she was not yet married. On the actions, and her story as told in the present one same evening she went and made a report did not agree with the previous one. His client at the Central Police Station. She charged the defendant with conspiring with another man to the plaintiff. His case was that plaintiff had obtain from her the sum of \$200 under the false lent the money to Kwok In Kai who had de pretence that the other man was authorised to ceived her by writing Yau Luk's name on the go as the representative of her son-in-law's note and induced her to believe that it was to family. Her granddaughter was originally en-Yau Luk she was lending it. As to the evid- gaged to Chan Ayune. The contract was comence as to the writing, similar evidence had pleted, but now her daughter drew back from the been produced over and over again in that Court bargain because Ayune had gone to Honolhlu. She did not want to wait for him any longer and she had left witness's house. The defendant pretended that he had brought the representative of the family of Avune to settle the whole matter so that there should be no further trouble

on payment of \$200, which he said included his Li Achoung, barbor, said that he lived in where witness lived, and be overheard a conversation between defendant and a friend about going to make an unexpected fortune. Witness lid not hear them say in what way that fortune was to be made. He asked the defendant, who

said he could not tell him. The case was remanded, bail being allowed in two sureties of \$150 each. OPIUM CASES.

Lo Tin Kwong, coolie; was charged with being possession of one tael of raw opinm without a pertificate, and with being in possession of opium dross on the 31st ult. He was fined 310, or twenty-one-days hard labour. Loung Sin Chan was fined \$25, or six weeks'

Ha Asum, coolie, was charged with the larceny clothing of the value of \$10, the property of Chan Akiu, on the 31st filt. Chan In Tong, boarding-house runner, said that on the 31st January at 2 p.m. he went on board the river steamer Honam, which had just arrived from Canton. A female passenger on were contained in a bundle. Suddenly defendant snatched the bundle and ran away with it. Wit-

Defendant said that he took it up by mistake.

Three months hard labour. DRUNK AND DISORDERLY William Hoffmann was brought up on a charge of being drunk and disorderly and assiglting...he Police on the 1st inst. He admitted the charge and was fined \$1, or three days' hard labour.

'HE'SEAMEN'S CHAPLAIN ON SUN-

DAY WORK-AFLOAT.

The Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, Seamen's Cha lain, in his report for 1887, says :— There is one great hindrance to religious work This clerk said that he had seen the which hangs like a pull over every Sunday in this amah apply to the first defendant for money. harbour. And this report cannot close without | gine; some of the men assisting one of the shore | bring such a comprehensive system within the He also said that he knew first defendant's mention of it. It is the constant work which handwriting well, and that the signature on the carried on without let or hindrance on the one note was his. Plut part of his evidence was day in the week which Englishmen have ben also corroborated by Mesers. Wotton and accustomed to look upon us a day of rest. Sun-Deacon's clerk, who was also well acquainted day work on board ship in Hongkong Harbour with first defendant's handwriting. There is the rule, with but few exceptions, in every could be no doubt that Yan Luk had drawn up I steamer that comes here, and sometimes even or the promissory note, and he gave judgment for board sailing ships. That the e are many inthe plaintiff for the full amount claimed, with terest involved and some difficulties to be met is not denied, for it is a wide question. But if Sun-Mr. Wotton asked that in order that his day work can be dispensed with in the colony of client should not have succeeded in obtaining a Australia, in the ports of Calcutta and Bombay, and we believe, and as soon as this fire caught, it Martin leading for the affirmative and Mr. useless judgment immediate execution might be in the treaty ports of China under the sanction of a burnt through the floor, which gave way. Addis for the negative. issued against defendants without waiting for money permit, why cannot it be dispensed with in this British port, and thus the reproach to His Lordship said he would grant immediate the English flug, that in heathen China sailors execution against the second defendant, because | cannot work; but on Christian British soil they there had just been an affidavit sworn that he must work, be wiped away, and the Sabbath was about to leave the Colony: but he could not | which was made for man be at any rate outwardopened with all deference. It is mentioned did not communicate to them. At the end of American M. E. Mission has nearly seventy temperature. The foot at once takes the has owing to the pressure that has been brought to the godown furthest i on the Bund some of the scholars.—Chinese Times. bear by facts to force sympathy in this matter. Officers and men of ships entering the port are in almost every case at present deprived of the appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Caldwell for only day in the week which they can call their distant, taking their supply of water from a with tally book in hand, or in other ways assist in the working of the cargo, just as much on Sunday as on any other day. Doubtless there work—but are they insurmountable?

MINING FNTERPRISE IN CHINA.

(Contirned).

THE TAI-U-SHAN SLIVER LEAD MINE. Mr. Candler, the manager, was anxious to send the ore to England to be smelted, it having such variety of combinations which, in smelting may prove rebellious; but to this proposal the binese Government would not agree, and as not repaired on the 28th, would that prove that the ore could not leave Chinese territory to be treated, it therefore became imperative to erect reduction and smelting works in the country. which, however, on consideration, it was decided was going to produce did not affect any material | not to erect at Tamchow, owing to the difficulties be contended against with the villagers in obtaining a site and also the position of Tamchow exposing it to the risk of being plundered by pirates. Meantime a lode of silver lead ore had been found on the island of Tai-U-Shan, near that their method of accounting for the damage Hongkong, and the right to work the same was to the Fi-shun's stem was not correct, it was secured by Mr. Ho Amei and his friends and this the fire is at present unknown as is also the ly disappeared, leaving her in extremely straiplace occupying such a favourable position for obtaining_supplies_of_coal_and_materials-gene-Mr. Wilson said that his witnesses were not rally by sea, it was as well as for shipping the produce of the mines direct, decided to creat down for hearing that it was impossible to fix a Tai-U-Shan silver-lead mine has been vigo- VINDICATION OF THE LOCATION OF THE rously opened on the lode by means of two adit levels and several winzes to the deep one of which is down 80 feet. The mine generally is bidding fairly well to become a good mine, the ore to the deep carrying 150ozs, of silver to the ton. For stances connected with the wreck of the steamer the intense amusement of the audience. Ng Asit and Ng Aluk, chair bearers, were of rock breaker, 3 pairs of rolls, 8 jiggers, 2 the subject of a memorial to the Thorns. This the exports of no less than 9 per cent., rising to interior is a marvel of decorative workmanship charged by Mr. John Wong Chun, clerk at the automatic buddles, and 4 frue vanners, all of the statement represents that when the Paulah was 219,177,000, or an increase of £1,608,000 over the pure white marble walls are relieved with Land Office, with demanding more than legal most approved type, to a great extent automatic, wrecked, all the passengers were frightened out November, 1896. - When we come to particulars, coloured mar le wreaths and scrolls, and there fare, and were fined \$1 each, or, in default, three | competent to treat 40 tons of ore per day. The of their senses, and consequently became y the falling off in imports is mainly accounted for | is a lavish display of richly fretted stonework, and The case in which the watchman in the employ of Messrs. Ed. Schellhass & Co. was the mill have been supplied by Messrs. Robey had been attracted thither picked them up. articles of food and drink both duty free and marble. Beneath the dome are the tombs of charged by Mr. Kirch, clerk in the same em- and Co., Lincoln. The smelting works will for They did not look the vessel; but a military Jui- dutiable. Tea and tobacco have largely increased, the Emperor and his wife, enclosed in a marble Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-8 per cent ploy, with the largeny of divers articles of the present consist of 4 scotch hearths, 2 calcility apparently that the people are better living near the coast and endeavoured to lavy off. With respect to the exports, every branch a second Taj on the other side of the Jumna, and evidence was forthcoming, and the watchman verberatory smelting furnace, and an English blackmail on them by threats of the improvement. Iron and steel to lave united the two with a bridge of fairy. Lam Po Sang, accountant, was charged, on chamber and smoke stack, the latter standing at remark, by Ng Ayin, P.S. 205, with the unlaw- a considerable altitude on the hill side to carry execution by laying false charges before the are 20 per cent. better, and with the exception records how a lady said of the Taj, "I cannot

obstructions offered by the people, and one thing | yet transcired .- Shih-pao, translated by the and another, these, with a few exceptions, have | Chinese Times .-

As a rule, the inhabitants don't like ground to e broken for mining for fear of offending the presiding spirits of the earth commonly known as "Fengahui" and thereby bringing them bad luck, which, coupled with their strong objection to having graves disturbed, which are scattered the Jesuit fathers, that he did not know where promisenously all over the country, it is almost | Paradise might be located, but he was quite sure impossible to commence mining operations any- it was not in Manchuria. The memorial on where without interfering with or insulting their mining in that region, which was printed in The prejudices in one way or another: As soon as Chinese Times on 31st December, gave a most one difficulty is paid for and got over another is awful picture of the miseries caused by insects; presented, and so on ad infinitum—making the which, if uncorroborated, might probably be set the building was uninsured. A few years afterwhole business so harassing, and expensive that down to the highly figurative language of a Chi- words the manager of that theatre was sitting the adventurer's patience is worn out; and his ness literate. But here is what Mr. James says in the Hoffmann House Bar in New York, with s espital exhausted before he can scarcely begin. of the eastern part of Manchuria :-This Fengshui business is a grand stalking horse for sweating and experting money under living I should say it was summer in the forests hed that fire. What was the game P" " Only all manner of pretences; besides this the Govern- of Manchuria. The midges are worst at night this," said Jim; "I had a fireman got up and ment appoints a mandarin to look after its in- and in the early morning, though they by dressed like my principal 'star' ready, and when terest in the venture at a high salary, payable by no means object to the middle of the day the flames were blazing he ran along the front the mine owners, and this official seems to un- also. Clouds of them almost darken the air, parapet of the theatre and saved an old woman agine his principal duty is to interfere and and they bite like fiends. Mules and cattle who lived in the building, and who was ready to all mauner of obstacles in their way.

dian Engineering.

FIRE IN FRENCH CONCESSION -SHANGHAI.---

The Daily News gives the following account

At a quarter to 7 o'clock p.m. on the 26th January the Fire Bells and the Fire Brigades ness chased and caught him before he had time turned out for a fire on the French Concession. By the time the balls rang, the whole of the roof of the China Navigation company's No. 12 A man employed him to carry things, and he godown facing the French Bund was on fire, and thought the bundle was he of the things. He illared up most flercely, the flames being reflected was a coolie living in the Tung Mun Lane; he lon the sides of the steamers on the river and did not know what had become of the man who I the buildings in the Rue du Consulate. The French engine and Company were the first to arrive, then came the Mih-ho-loongs with a hose reel, being followed by some of the "Victorias" with a real. Behind them were the " Delugemen." The Fire Float Engine, in charge of wib ho. I was impossible to keep food thawed; bread, meat, loongs, was the second to play on the fire the land beer were all frozen, handkerchief in nocket French Company being first. The "Victorias," like a stick, on returning lighted eiger to mouth to the back of the burning godowns, along with a found comfortable, and warm kings a luxury, French hose reel into the Rue Montauban, and to most people consequently were some time before they could be of any use. The Hongkew Engine having so far land Debating Society was held on Monday last. to go was last, and took up a position on one of Colonel Denby in the chair. The subject of the the C.N. Co.'s pontoons, but so far from the fire, evening was a paper by Professor Pander on that the hose would not reach, and considerable "Buddhism," although in substance essentially delay was the consequence. The Ballagrat sent | theogenic and iconographic it was fairly interest. a fire party on shore with a good sized hand en- ling and instructive. Anyone attempting to companies. Later on, fire companies landed from | compass of a single lecture can of course only Some delay was caused in making use of the hy- information desired by each member of his the roof soon consumed it, and the burning raf- meeting of the society the question "as to ters fell in upon the upper floor. In this was whether a man is under obligation to speak the instead of men-of-war." piled up a miscellaneous cargo, principally cotton, truth on all occasious" will be discussed. Dr. and the whole fell through, setting on fire Mr. Turray's school for the blind has now American paper :- Then one of the girls tells whatever could be burnt there. At one eight boys and two girls. Two boys are on their us the bath is ready. We undress and put on end of the godown there was a quantity os way from Manchuria. One of the pupils of former a robe. A girl shows us to the bathroom. It On Shanchal. beancake, and this being of an oily nature, burn. | years is at Hankow, to assist in establishing a lis down stairs, and has only an open Japanese ed with great fireceness. Fortunately this go. school for the blind in that great centre. Dr. screen to shut off the gaze of the babitues of the down was isolated, while the walls of the rodown Atterbury's Hospital in the north city has house. The tub is a round wooden vat about 'Victorias' were stationed, and they prevented the flames from leaping through the windows on to the next godown, which was only a few feet own, by being obliged to stand at the hatchways pillar hydrant on the premises close by which had a powerful stream. The other companies. "Memo (by the staff.)" If there is anything screen. But not an inch farther. There she had some ten streams playing on the fire from improper or libellone in this issue, it is owing to stands and waits, as innocently as did good different points, the Mih-ho-loong and another the Editor having dined at the St. Andrew's old Eve when Adam poured into her willing are difficulties to be met in abolishing Sunday company having theirs on the roofs of adjoining Dinner last week. When an Englishman gets ears his first declaration of undying affection. godowns. On two occasions parts of walls of among a lot of convivial Scotchmen, all re- There are things that try men's souls and the burning godown fell with a crash; for sponsibility at once ceases. This notice distall for heroid durage. One can scale the tunately no one was hurt, though a China- qualifies all legal action." man connected with the premises was at one time thought to have been buried underneath the debrie, but he was found all right afterwards. One foreigner nearly got suffocated with smoke world, and the failure of domestic capital to deve- maiden in the House of Representatives. But while he was in an alley way.

well confined, and that there was no danger of it is said that to utilize it a foreign syndicate had you through a rattan screen-looking at you. it spreading further, but the contents of the to be organized with \$8,000,000 of capital. What too, with as much sang froid as if she was seeing godown continued to burn for a long time, and sile Uncle Sam that he lets others got the plums a three-months'-old-baby stripped of its little t was a late hour before the firemen left the | in his pudding?" scene. In Pig Creek, there were a number of boats laden with straw, upon which sparks were covered by insurance.

THE WRECKED STEAMER " PAUTAH."

. Our readers doubtless remember the circumdeveloping to the deep, a hydraulic motor is Pautah off the Shantung Promontory. We now about to be erected for working a set of 7-inch hear from Peking that over sixty of the high ing house on the Praya. They both went to the seashore by means of an overhead wire tram- corpses were afterwards discovered along the 12, 29,000, amounting for the eleven months to of human hands?" "A poem in marble;" The the boarding house, and when they arrived there way 3,000 feet in length. A complete Labors- shore. All this unjustifiable atrocity was the £53,892,000. Altogether the foreign trade of sigh of a broken heart;" "Poetic marble arrayed the prisoner said that the silk belonged to his tory has been fitted up together with all the result of the culpable conduct of the culpable conduct of the country mounts p for the past portion of in eternal glory;" "The inspiration is from brother. Witness found that prisoner lived in necessary appliances for assaying and analysing Magistrate of Fu shun and the military Jui jen the year to no less than £582,666,000, which is a heaven, the execution worthy of it;" "The above mentioned. The Chefoo Taotai Sheng, tolerably large sum for a so-called decadent and marble Queen of Sorrow, which has power to Witnesses having been called, prisoner was | About a year ago, after many representations and the Commandant of the Territorial Forces, effete country.

had been made to the Vicercy of Canton pointing | Sun, were also to be highly blamed. In view of out the advantages, that would accrue to the these wrongs suffered by their fellow provincials. country generally by encouraging bond fide min- the Shantung officials carnestly pray that His ing enterprises, no scheme found favour that Majesty will graciously condescend to order the assessitated the ontlay by this Government of a Governor of Shantung to make a thorough single dollar; now, however, a Mining Office is investigation of the affair. The conduct of established under an officer called the Taotsi who Shang Taotsi on that occasion is much comis empowered to grant licenses upon payment of mented on in Peking, because, he, being the tee of one thousand dollars for permission to Chief Director of the China Merchants' Steam pon up any mine, after first satisfying himself | Navigation Co., and being near to the scene that the local public have no objection to a mine the disaster, could have easily prevented the peing opened in their locality. About twenty commission of such atrocities as above enumeratlicenses have been granted, but owing to lack of led. The Consorate has submitted the matter in mining knowledge, continual petty and real a memorial, but the Imperial Rescript has not

 $M\lambda NCHURI\lambda N$ INSECTS.

Mr. James, in his most interesting description of his explorations, quotes the saying of one of

the mine owners about the clong heat are stifling. Often a fire must be kindled heroine -for, of course, my star got the credit work done, not cheap. The men are soon taught of iron on their heads, on which are stuck pieces and some of them show high intelligence; of burning touchwood, and pieces of it in their Hollywood Road. Defendant came to the house but amongst the Chinese this is no real hands as well. Fortunately we had provided discoveries of petroleum in India and Burmah qualification for advancement. It is quite ourselves with green ganze veils, which were in lare likely to offer any serious opposition to the impossible to arrange for each individual valuable when we went to bed or when marching Russian trade even locally? Can it be expected cognizance and connivance of the Chinese office annoyance to ourselves than to our beasts, as locomotives are started? If so the output must men; reaching the employes in much smaller they invariably selected any that were sick or by very large, for that on the Black Seaf is sums than those recorded in the books. The tired. They did not appear till seven or eight almost doubling itself every year, having risen result is much dissatisfaction on the part of the in the morning, and retired at sundown, so by fire a salittle over three million prods in 1882 to men, and, furthermore, if complaint is made of a marching before daylight a little respite tome eighteen million poods in 1887 (if the man's dilatoriness he justifies himself by com- was obtained from their attacks. They present rate is maintained). he more fact plaining that he is not properly paid and no steps | were huge fat insects, and at this distance of | that it is necessary to run a pipe from Baku to are taken to remedy it. It seems to be impossi- time they seem to me to have been as big as | Batoum, or at any rate over large portions of ble to convince these people that they are on the star-bretles. There are several kinds, one striped the way, because the railway is quite-unequal towrong track, the stubbornness of the Chinese vellow and black, like a giant wasp; and the the carriage required, and has more than once in persisting in the old custom of squeezing rapidity with which they can pierce a mule's broken down under it, shows to what an enorhard labour, for being in possession of prepared being proverbial.—John Harris, M.E., in Int tough hide is inconceivable. In a few moments, mous extent the traffic has increased. There before one could go to its assistance. I have seen is not likely to be any necessity for pines in a wretched beast streaming with blood. Fortun- India. but we may be permitted to hope that ately the gadfies are very stupid and slow, and local wells will supply local wants in time, as easily killed. I remember once Mr. Fulford the saving under those conditions in the cost and I had to stand over a mule which had of freights would be enormous. Potroleum tumbled several times down hill, and was quite | lecomotives would be very economical and would exhausted, smashing the gaddies, as they settled, | run for a very long time; why not try them? with slabs of wood, until night came on. I have II we are to keep Russis out of the field no idea how many hundreds we killed, but we shall-have to take the necessary-steps-promptly saved that mule's life. They did not often bite for last year saw the first importation --- a million men, but occasionally a busy, curious, thirsty and a half gallons-from Batoum, and during the gadfly would try how "a foreign devil's" blood "first three months of the present year the imports

PEKING.

19th January. Considering the mildness of the season, some recent visitors to the Great Wall seem to have found it decidedly cool there. One writes:—"It

and made remarks

The usual fortnightly meeting of the Literary

OLLA PODRIDA:

continually falling, so that the occupants found Allgemeine Zeitung of the death, at a great age, furnice is still adding caloric. You feel much constant employment in pouring water on the a few days ago in that city, of Marianna Bar- us did the poor Japanese martry: when a few straw. One load actually caught fire, but men bier Nini, who enjoyed the highest reputation, unndred years ago, the heather wratches boiled from the other boats rushed on board and between thirty and forty years ago, as an opera- them into grease. You forget the girl and everyprevented what might have been a disastrous tic singer, and was as remarkable for exceptional thing else and jump out thoroughly clothed; i.e., conflagration, to all the bosts in that section | ugliness as for her artistic talent and splendid | clothed in scarlet skin. Ah, these are things of the Creek. The first water was played on voice. In the height of her fame she married which try men's souls." the fire by two gentlemen who used the bose | Count Nini and retired from the stage. After on the premises, attaching it to a hydrant his death she married again a well-known Vienalongside the burning godown. The origin of na musician namen Hackensöllner, who suddenexact extent of the damage and the amount taned circumstances, and she was forgotten except relate with a certain piquant gusto that once. Adalgisa, as she bent to embrace them

Says the Montreal Witness: - A craft the description of which equals anything to be found in the pages of Jules Verne's eccentric writings, at present under construction in this city. The craft may be described as a "catamaran," or stann launch built of steel, with two cigar-shaped hulls, each about sixty-five feet in length, with a deck binding the two hulls together. Each hull is built in two compartments, one of be used for water ballast and the other as a reservoir of coal oil—the latter being used for fuel The motive power is obtained from two vertical engines and two propellers, the shafts of the latter being so arranged as to lift themselves out of the way on striking floating ice or any other obstacle. The boat is intended for wha walrus, and seal hunting in the Arctic and will be furnished with a Gatling gan, as well as paralyze any aquatio mammal extant. boat is said to be a copy of a German invention. It will be taken apart when finished and packed for transportation on board the whaler to which

Some time ago there was a great fire at theatre in one of the Eastern States of America There was no one hurt for the configuration took blace when the building was empty. And let of his friends, when one of them remarks If there be a time when life is not worth "Say Jim. I never could see why on airth yew squeeze the mine owners under threate of plaving, are picketed at night to the leeward of fires, be saved, you bet. Well, that got into the so that the smoke may protect them. At local papers next day. I opened in the evening A Royalty of 10 per cent. on the gross out-sundown all the doors and the windows of houses in a temporary hell, billed the town well with turn is levied by the Government, who continu- are shut tight, though the smoke and summer fresh placards, all showing the portrait of the more severe, and the cultivation in India as likely delay in making returns and suspect that every- as well on the floor, to fill the house with smoke, and, by gracious, sir, she caught on, and made body in connection with the exploitation of the and when full of Chinamen also the atmosphere more money than would have been paid for two mine is trying to cheat thom. Labour is plentiful, in the early morning can be better imagined theatres like the one that was burnt down. You but, taking into consideration the amount of than described. Men at the plough carry circlets bet, I knew what I was about in having that fire."

The Pioneer asks :- Is it probable that our man to be paid his wages direct; these in the early morning, and at meals we enveloped to supply India with the oil she requires, or always pass through several hands with the ourselves with smoke. The gadflies were less even to supply the railways if petroleum tasted, and then that "foreign devil" jumped already amounted to nearly 500,000 gallons.

which Lord Charles Beresford has mentioned as [2] cases silks, and 28 packages sundries. For in the wind, that of transferring the Army New York—2 cases silks, and 71 packages mertransport from the Admiralty to the War chandise. Office is by no means the least needed. Carrying | troops in men of war is a demoralizing business, as students of history know, and building Government ships for the purpose is sheer waste of money. The old Himalaya, purchased in 1854. at a cost of £130,000, will compare favourably Old Malwa \$560 per picul, allce. of here on or about the 4th February. for amount of work done and money expended though so early on the ground, were sent round moist and frozen," etc. The Chinese hotels were more than probable that the conveyance of troops by private steamers would by a still Patus (New)\$508 per chest. cheaper measure. The change is favoured by Benares (New) 500 the navy because it will have the effect of releasinc a number of much-wanted officers and men from a distasteful duty. What the army thinks about it may be gleaned from Lord Wolseley's On London. evidence before the Ridley Committee, where he says:-" The system of naval transport is unsatisfactory to the army. It gives rise to ill-feeling almost between the services. The very moment a regiment is put on board one of her Majesty's H.M.'s ships in port, as did also one from the superficially touch on one or two important troopships the command of their own men is Sindh, these latter being early on the spot. points, and cannot expect to give the special taken away from the officers, and they have a very unpleasant time of it generally speaking. drunts, as those on the French Concession are sudience. Dr. Edkins, Mr. Crossett and others on board her Majesty's ships; so much so, that, flush with the kerbstone, and not upright pillars. made a few remarks on the subject, and after speaking roughly and roundly, the soldiers of all In one case it was found that the hose could not some conversation between Dr. Edkins and the ranks, from the highest to the lowest, hate going On New YORK. be coupled on. The fire which rapidly ran along locturer the meeting broke up. At the next on board a trooper. They would much prefer going in steam-packets and commercial ships

The following graphic account of a first ex-Derience of a Japanese hot bath appears in an On CALCUTTA .of a boiled lobster. You nearly shrick. The girl laughs and empties a pail of cold water in. You then wait for her to go out. She does not budge. You can't, to save you, think of Japarese enough to tell her to git. Finally, by a A Calcutta paper publishes the following lot of awkward signs, you get her beyond the bristling wall, can march into the mouth of a hot throated cannon, can mount the scaffold with Says the Alta California; -" There is tin the shining are glistaning in the sun, can tell enough in the Black Hills of Dakota to supply the | the girl he would win and wed her, can make a lop it is one of the marvels of the country. It is a these are easy tasks compared to getting into a By 9 o'clock it was found that the fire was discovery of transcendent importance and yet bot bath with a pretty Japanese girl looking at flannel shirt. Finally patience gives out, you drop your robe and jump in. Good heavens, the A Florence correspondent informs the Wiener | pail of cold water did cool the thing, but the Mumtaz-i-Mahal, or Exalted of the Palace.

the Emperor Shah Jehan, when she asked him what he would do if he survived her. The Em. by a few faithful friends. She used herself to peror fondly promised to build her a tomb that should hand down her name through all the ages, when playing Norma, in the famous dust where and be the admiration of the world. The Empress | China Sugar Refining Company, Limited \$155 on July 18th, 1631. Whilst dying, she reminded | Luzon Sugar Retining Company, Limited-\$40 the little girl who personated one of the children | the Emperor of the promised tomb. According was so terrified by her ugliness that she to Tavernier, 20,000 workmen laboured for 22 sprang from the stage into the wings exclaim. Years on the edifice. It consists of a central ing, "Mother, mother, the witch is there !" to mausoleum, whose octagonal base is 136 feet in dismeter, surmounted by a great dome and pointed spire, growned by a prescent. Of the The Board of Trade returns for November two wings, one is a splendid mosque, the other pumps and for hanling purposes, there being a Shantung officials in the capital have jointly bear out the view that trade has been improving, an imitation mesque, to preserve the harmony good supply of water from the surrounding submitted a statement to the Censorate vindicat- The imports, it is true, have fallen off to a frac- of the edifice. But no mere description can ing the conduct of the alleged looters in Shan- tional extent, being valued at £32,850,000—s give an idea of the complexity and intricacy The Reduction and Smelting Works consist tung, and requesting them to make the matter decrease of £201,000; but there is an increase in with which the whole design is worked out. The whole of the muchinery will be driven by a strong viotims to the rapacity of the crew on b. 1. by s decrease in manufactured articles. We have rare in laid work of agate and jasper and other semi-portable engine of the Robey type. The The next day some wreckage from the vessel taken more raw material for textile manufactures, flooded with the soft light that cupelling farnace. These are now being put up with looting. Upon their refusal to yield to the show an increase of 20 per cent. in value, like beauty; but his schemes were out short by and are connected by long flues under condensing extortion, he, being greatly enraged, proceeded machinery and millwork 12 per cent., and hard his son Agrungaebe, and his subsequent improvincial authorities. Upon this, soldiers were of woollen and worsted and liben yarn all the criticise, but I can tell you what I feel. I would Mr. C. S. Turner, agentleman who has had con- sent to arrest and punish these villagers. textile manufactures show increases from 5 to 20 | die to-morrow to have such a temb." And he Ayin said that he was passing Wellington- siderable experience in smelting operations both These soldiers committed every sort of atrecity; per cent. For the eleven-months of the year adds "Holy and profane men, prosers, and street and saw prisoner at the Leung Yik pawn- in England and Russia, is in charge of the erec- raping, burning, and slaughtering the imports amount to £327,761,000, an increase practical people, all write of the Taj in the same shop offering the two pieces of silk in Court in tion of the works and will conduct the reduction, with diabelical wantonness. Even the dogs and of £9,308,000, or 21 per cent., and the exports strain." You can no more describe it, however, pawn. He asked the prisoner where he got the smelting, and refining operations. The ore from other domestic animals did not escape their to £201,012,000, an increase of £5,702,000, or than you can describe Constantinople. Here silk, and the latter said that it belonged to him the Tai-U-Shan mine will be conveyed over a brutality. Many of the villagers in atter despair nearly 3 per cent. The foreign and colonial are some of the atterances of those who have and that he was living at the Hung Wan board- broken country to the smelting works close to threw themselves into the sea, and scores of produce re-exported also shows an increase of seen it __ Too pure, too holy to be the work

was playing at cards one day with her husband.

Mr. Bonham, the United States Consul-Genoral in a report on the trade of British India for the past year, refers to the enormous increase in recent years of the import of Indian wheat to Great Britain, and observes that the great importance of the subject to American farmers has ed him to discuss it fully. He does not agree with some of his predecessors, who thought that the United States had nothing to fear from India as a competitor in the production of wheat. He believes that India is to-day second only to the United States in the quantity produced. Nor does he agree with some recent apeakers in this country who have argued that, owing to the habits of Indian agriculturists and their indianosition to move from the lands to which they are accustomed, it is unlikely that the area of landunder wheat cultivation will increase largely. powerful electric battery, sufficiently strong to Mr. Bonham thinks there is no doubt that wheat growing in India is yet in its infancy, and that its further development depends principally upon the means of transportation to the sea-board. I welve thousand miles of railway exist in India. and the average annual rate of construction during the past five years has been 562 miles. The Government of Great Britain is not content with being the great public carriers of the world, but she seems of late years to be possessed of a landable ambition to produce her own bread stuffs as well, and I fear, however unpleasant is may be to contemplate the fact, that with the cheap native labour of India, and the constantly growing facilities for transportation, we shall find her a formidable competitor as a producer of the 'staff of life.'" Moreover, Indian surplus wheat is now brought to Europe in steamships through the Suez Canal in three or four weeks. instead of going, as formerly, in sailing vessels around the Cape, involving a rovere of three or four months, and often material damage to the cargo from weevil. Mr. Bonham regards the competition from Indian wheat as likely to grow

COMMBROJAL INTELLIGENCE.

WEDNESDAY, 1st February.

EXPORT CARGOES. Per steamship Neckar, sailed on the 23rd Jan uary:—For Beyrouth—24 cases glass bangles 16 cases tea, and 15 boxes cassia. For Constan tinople—10 cases glass bangles. For Sucz—10 cases glass bangles, and 2 packages tea. For Hamburg option London—4 cases bristles. For Hamburg-14 cases sundries, 2 cases silk goods, 97 cases merchandise, and 500 packages fire crackers. For Colombo—3 cases sundries For Bremen-3 packages curios, 40 cases merchandise. 144 rolls matting. 2 packages tea, and 5 packages canes. For Amsterdam—3 case: merchandise. —For London—265 cases essential oil. For Antwerp-7 cases merchandise. For Copenhagen-7 cases blackwood ware. For New York—5 cases chinaware, and 3 cases silk piece Per steamship Abyssinia, sailed on the 27tl

anuary:-For Kobe-787 bales varn and 1254 cases wine. For Yokohama-267 bales yarn, and may be expected here on or about the 4th 2,000 bags sugar, and 567 packages sundries. February For Victoria—68 cheats opium, 2.054 ba s rice. 473 packages tea, and 466 packages merchandise. For Seattle-1.040 bags rice, and 22 packages merchandise. For Portland-1,275 bags rice, and 160 puckages merchandise. For Port Townsend—25 packages sundries. For San | February Francisco-12 boxes prepared opium, and 90 bags pepper. For Calgary—8 half-chests tea. For Perente—70 packages tea, 70 rolls matting, Amongst other reforms in naval administration | and 63 packages | merchandise. | For Montreal-

Quotations are:-4 taels.

EXCHANGE. Telegraphic Transfer3/12 Bank Bills, on demand Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight3/13 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/13 Credits, at 4 months' sight3.2 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' PARIS: Bank Bills, on demand Credits at 4 months' sight4.01 Bank Bills, on demand......754 ON BOMBAY.— Telegraphic Transfer221 Bank, on demand2214 Bank, at sight71 Private, 30 days' sight

Quotations are : ongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares—15 per cent. premium, sales. Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited— \$874 per share, ex div. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares— 865 per share. North China Insurance-Tls. 265 per share.

Yangtaze Insurance Association—Tls. 105 per Thinese Insurance Company, Limited—§200 per On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tls. 148 per share. lanton Insurance Office. Limited-\$75 per share, ex div.

fongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$375 per sb**ar**e. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$75 Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited-\$29 nom., sellers. Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limited-

longkong and Whampoa Dock Company's Shares = 55 per cent. prem., sellers, Houghong, Canton, and Macao Steemboat Co.'s Shares—\$109 per cent. prem., sales. udo China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-15 per cent. discount Chins and Manila Steamship Company, Limited -30 per cent. discount. nominal.

Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—\$125 per Gibraltar Hongkong Hotel_Company's_Shares—\$195-per-___ per share, sellers. per share, nominal. Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$56 per

share, sales. Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$110 per share. Perak Tin Mining and Smelti g Company -- \$20 per share. Puntom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Company, Limited-\$124 per share, sellers. Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li . mited—\$47 per share. S Watson & Co., Limited—65 per cent premium. Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited—\$139 per share. Singapore Insurance Company, Limited \$21 per share.

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> MAL. THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The Canadian Pacific steamer Bataria, with the next Canadian mail, 195 Kobe on the 31st January, and may be expected here on or about the 3rd February. THE FRENCH MAIL

The Messageries Maritimes steamer Anadyr. with the French mail of the 30th December, left Saigon at 2 pm. on the 31st January. THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. & O. strumer Oceanic, with the next

Am rican mail, left San Francisco on the 11th January, and is due here on or about the "9th STEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Polinurus left.

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The Gellatly Line steamer Afghan left Singaore on the 30th January, and is due here on the 6th February. The Shire Line steamer Cardiganshire left Singapore on the 1st, and is due here on the 7th

instant. ' The P. & Q. ext. steamer Lombardy left. Bombay on the list January, and is due here on or about the 8th February

POST-OFFICE SULLES.

When Correspondence has been mis-sent of delayed (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) all that the addressee need do is to note on the cover, Sent to ——, or Received at 7 p.m., or as the case may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster-General. This should be acted on the first time cause of complaint occurs, it is a

mistake to let such matters pass for fear of

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more trouble in the end. LOCAL DELIVERY-No delivery is attempted on board Ship, at the Peak, Kowleon, Aberdeen, So, nor at any private house (even thoughnamed in the address) when there is a place of basiness nearor, at which delivery can be effected. " The authorism List of Mails issued in

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twice each day in our Extra, which is always

corrected to a much later hour than that given A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Snigon.-Per Lessang, to-day, the 2nd inst., at 11.30 A.M. For Shanghai.—Per Ningpo, to-day, the 2nd inst., at 3.30 P.M. For Saigon.—Per Tritos, to-day, the 2nd inst., at 3.30 P.M.

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5th inst., at 9.00 a.m. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Sindh will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 8th February, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe. and places beyond, v. v Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Douglas Steamship Company, Limited-\$47 per | Madras Calcutta, the Australasian Colonies, Aden. Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and

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2.00 P.M. -- Money Order Office closes, v 2.00 PM .- Posting of Prices Current and Cironlars ceases.

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 4 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, onning by country, with the addresses all one way Those for the United Kin-dom mist be divided into (1) London, (2) England and Wal s. (3) Scotland, (4) Ireland; those for Germany into (1) Hamburg, (2) other places in Germany.) 4.00 P.M.—Registry crosses. Posting of news-

papers, books, and patierns ceases. 5.00 P.M.—Mail closes. LATE LETTERS may then be posted in the Night Box at the Post Office with 10 cents late fee up to 9 P.M., after which bour they may be sent on board with the same late fee.

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NOTICES OF FIRMS.	GERMAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BERLIN.
HAVE This Day Established myself LAND, SHARE, AND GENERA	L THE Undersigned having been appointed LOI
BROKER 4. A. RUMJAHN. Houghong, 1st February, 1888. NOTICE.	prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE LOI RISKS to all parts of the World. LOI MEYER'S Co.
WE Have CLOSED the Foodhow Branch our Firm on the 31st ultimo and tran	NOTICE. HA NOTICE. MA
ferrod our Business at that Port to M GUSTAV SIEMSSEN. SIEMSSEN & Co.	The Undersigned; Agents for the above Com- pony are prepared to A CEPT RISKS GE
Hongkong, 28th January, 1888. I HAVE This Day Established myself this Port as MERCHANT & COMMISSIO	at NORTON & Co., SAI Agents.
	FIRE INSURAN E COMPANY, OF 1877 NE 1N HAMBURG PO
MOTICE, R. M. GROTE has This Day be admitted a PARTNER in our FIRM.	Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT YOUR RISKS at Current Rates.
· - CHATER & VERNON	Hongkong, 18 January, 1884. 7 NA SH
MR. FRIEDRICH SEIP and BERNHARD BUSCHMAN This Day been admitted PARTNERS	RLITTED 1895.
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NOTICE.	ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, January, 1882. of H CE N I X F I'R E O F F I C E
MR. RICHARD SCHONBERGER OUR FIRM CEASED on the 31st December, 18 KRUSE & Co.	87. The Undersigned are now prepared to GRANT POLICIES of INSUBANCE against
NOTICE.	Cap OUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for the Phonix Fire Office. Hongkong, 17th August, 1887.
THE Have authorised Mr. GUST DEGENER BONING to SIGN FIRM by procuration from this date, in Hokong and China.	OUT THE LONDON ASSURANCE INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS
CARLOWITZ& C	A.D. 1 20. ST
HE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF LOWITZ and his HEIRS in our F	the prepared to-grant-Insurances-as-follows: MARINE DEPARTMENT
CEASED on the 31st December, 1887. CARLOWITZ & C. Hongkong, 21st January, 1888.	in London, or at the principal Ports of India, will China, and Australia. FIRE DEPARTMENT.
NOTICE.	Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. LIFE DEPARTMENT
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DO COMPANY, LIMITED: CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS	at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
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Hongkong, 6th August, 1885.	accumulated surplus apportioned as a dividend. If death occur, the full amount of the Policy will be paid immediately on proof of death, together
DEALER IN HUROPEAN GOODS.	with a Mortuary Dividend of 50 per Cent. of all premiums received during the 5 Year period in which death may happen.
Has for Sale all Sorts of WINES, SPIR .PROVISIONS, OILMAN'S STORE TEA, REFINED SUGAR, &c., &c. No. 11, Lyndhurst Tebrace.	BIRLEY DALRYMPLE & Co., Agents,
DOMINION ORGAN & PIANO	Co. Hongkong, 13th January, 1888. 20 GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE
Manufacturers of Cabinet, Combination Chapel and Pedal ORGANS.	ASSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are
and Square and Upright PIANOS: Sole right to use Foley's Automatic P	prepared to GRANT POLICIES against for FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rutes. PUSTAU & Co.
Cover for the whole Continent of Eur This device absolutely closes the Organ, re- ing it proof against Mice, Insects, Dust, &	Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. OR H GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG.
BRANCH OFFICES:— MANCHESTER, ENGLAND, LONDON,	Company, are prepared to GRANT IN- URANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first-
Hamburg, Germany Adelaide, Australia	Class risks at current rates. MELCHER & Co Congkong, 27th March, 1876. HE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-
MELBOURNE, ,, CHRIST-CHUUCH, NEW ZEALAND.	PANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE—Ho GRONG.
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THE BRITISH BARQUE "NA	HEAD OFFICE, rchase No. 2, Queen's Road West.
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to send particulars of such Claims to the signed on or before the 31st January, 1888 PEN KEE.	pany, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Current Rates.
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WE will REMOVE our FURNIT	PANY, LIMITED. TURE to No. HEAD, OFFICE, Hongkong.
17. Queen's Road Central, MARINE Funder the Telegraph Companies' Of A CHEE & CHEE & CHEE & Cheek	TOTAL ASSETS 530,000 CLAIMS PAID EXCEED 530,000
THE HONGKONG AND KOWN WHARF AND GODOWN COMP. LIMITED	LOON (PREMIA.
OTICE is hereby given that all Vi Discharging Bombay Corror	Hougkong, 1st September, 1887. [721] RANSATLANTICFIRE INSURANCE
Corron Yann at the Kowloon Wherve have Free Storage for 14 days from a after which a Rent of 3 cents per B month will be Charged.	The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to
ISAAC HUGF Secretary: Hongkong, 8th November, 1887.	SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.
RACHTENS beschikking der landsche Consulaire Rechtbank Hioga-Osaka van 18 November 1887	Neder- voor Hongkong. 16th November, 1872. 15
hieroiede opgeroepen, HENRI JOHAN HU lantst gedomicilieerd te Hiego doch nuafv om te verschijnen voor bovengenoemde	PENET, PHE Undersigned, Agents for Messrs (vezend, E.E. ABRA IAMSON & Co., Sandakan, British North Borneo, are now prepared to
bank op den 24sten February 1988. Nederlandsche Consulaire Recl CHS. BRAI Voorz	atbank, TIMBERS suitable for Wharves, Building and General purposes.
Hiogo, 24sten November, 1887. NOTICE,	
GEO. S-M-I WINE MERCHANT, SHANGH	THE KOWLOON FERRY.
AGENTS. NORTON & Co MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD	"MORNING STAR" Runs Daily as a Yerry Boat between Peddar's Whas and Tsim-Tsa-Tsui at the foll wing
FONG, PHOTOGRAP Has just added to his COLLEC	TION Leaves Leaves Leaves Leaves
of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and of NATIVE Types, copies of which are obtain his Studio or at Messrs. Kelly & Wall	Photos. Kowloon Hongkong Romton Trongkong Tainable 6.00 A.M. 7.00 A.M.

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NOTICES OF FIRMS.	INSURANCES. GERMAN MARINE INSURANCE	DESTINATION VESSEL'S	9.3
NOTICE. This Day Established myself as LAND, SHARE, and GENERAL	COMPANY OF BERLIN.	LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAR Bellerophon LONDON AND HAMBURG Derothes LONDON AND HAMBURG Merionetish	,
Hongkong, 1st February, 1888. [260]	Agents for the above Company are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World.	LONDON AND HAMBURG Theodor Ru LONDON AND HAMBURG Drot LONDON DIRECT Mabel Tayl	ger
NOTICE.	Hongkong, 23rd January, 1888: 1201	HAVRE AND HAMBURG, &c. Bellons (str	
WE Have CLOSED the Foodhow Branch of our Firm on the 31st ultime and trans- red our Business at that Port to MR.	Q UEEN FIRE INSURANCE	MARSEILLES VI SAIGOV. &c. Sindh (str. Braunschweiten & PORTS of CALL. Braunschweiten Betavia (str. VANCOUVER B.C. VIA SAN F'CO. Betavia (str.) Big
USTAV SIEMSSEN. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 28th January, 1883.	The Undersigned; Agents for the above Com- pany are prepared to A CEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates	GENOA VIA BOMBAY, &c Stars str.). TRIESTE, &c Amphitrite SAN FRANCISCOVIA T'HAMA City of Syde	(at ney
I HAVE This Day Established myself at is Port as MERCHANT & COMMISSION GENT under the name and Style of	Hongkong 16th July, 1887.	NEW YORK NEW YORK NEW YORK	laîk Ban
G. SIEMSSEN. Feechow, 1st January, 1888.	FIRE INSURAN E COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG	Penonscot PORT DARWIN, SYDNEY, &c. Changsha (SYDNEY MELBOURNE, &c. Guthrie (st	str. tr.)
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CHATER & VERNON. Hongkong, 1st January, 1888. 66	Hongkong, 18'n January, 1884.	KOBE AND YOKOHAMA Atghan (st NAGASAKI SHANGHAI, KOBE, &c. Anadyr (st	eru r.).,
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his Day been admitted PARTNERS IRM. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.	Agents for the above	SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW Namos (str	-!
Hongkoug, China, and Hamburg, 1st January, 1888. 165	pared to issue Policies of Insurance ag on the usual terms. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.	COUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,	
NOTICE. THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF MR. RICHARD SCHONBERGER in	Hongkong, January, 1882.	FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.	FO
REUSE & Co.	GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against	"NAMOA,"	T
NOTICE.	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,	at DAYLIGHT.	J. 88 (Fo:
FIRM by procuration from this date, in Hong-	THE LONDON ASSURANCE	pougLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.	${f T}$
cong and China. CARLOWITZ & Co. Hougkong, 30th December, 1887.	MAJESTY KING GE. JE THE FIRST	STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-	situ Pas ger
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LOWITZ and his HEIRS in our FIRM DEASED on the 31st December, 1887.	TO THE PARTY OF TH	"TEHERAN," will leave for the above places TO-MORROW,	
- CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, 21st January, 1888 [202	1 China and Amstralia	the 3rd February, at DAYLIGHT. E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.	" G
NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK	Current rates. -LIFE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000,	Hongkong, 2'st January, 1888. 1 OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.	1
COMPANY, LIMITED.	at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.	FOR LONDON TA SUEZ CANAL	Ro
respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's	THE LATEST ADVANCE IN LIFE INSURANCE.	"BELLE COPHON," Captain Guthrie, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 3rd February.	
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D. GILLIES, Secretary. Hongkong, 6th August, 1885.	cash surrender value together with his share of accumulated surplus apportioned as a dividend. If death occur, the full amount of the Policy will	FOR SYDNEY MELBOURNE, AND	(Ť
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DOMINION ORGAN & PIANO Combination,	GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE	Hongkong, 26th January, 1888. [223]	
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and Square and Upright ———————————————————————————————————	prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.	for Ningro, Cheroo, Newchwang, Tientsin, Hankow, and Ports on the Yangtsze.)	P T L
Cover for the whole Continent of Europe This device absolutely closes the Organ, rends	Hongkong, 1st April, 1885. [688]	"PALINURUS,"	-
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Manchester, England, London, Hamburg, Germany	CRANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first class risks at current rates. MELCHER & Co	Hongkong, 30th January, 1888. [240	, I
ADELAIDE, AUSTRALIA	HE MAN ON INSURANCE COM PANY, LIMITED.		t e
MELBOURNE, ,, CHRIST-CHUUCH, NEW ZEALAND. DOMINION ORGAN & PIANO Co.	HEAD OFFICE—Ho GRONG. _CAPITAL (SUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000.	"MERIONETHSHIRE." P. B. Wilkins, Commander, will be despatched	ii C
BOWMANVILLE. Ontario, Canada	BOARD OF DIRECTORS.	for the above Ports on 4th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,]
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TIME Undersigned being about to warch the BRITISH BARQUE "NARDOO the Transfer whereof will be effected with	Tongkong, 14th, March, 1881.	For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	
one month from this date, hereby request Persons having Claims against the said. Voto send particulars of such Claims to the and	INSURANCE COMPANY. sel er- Jihe Undersigned, Agents of the above Company.	FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, AND	
signed on or before the 31st January, 1888. PEN KEE. HING LUNG STREET.	pany, are authorized to INSURE again FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co.	Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERL AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON,	,
Hongkong, 5th January, 1888. NOTICE OF REMOVAL		LIVERPOOL, and BREMEN.) 1. HE Steamship	
WE will REMOVE our FURNITUE STORE on the 1st Proximo to	HEAD OFFICE, Hongkong.	"RELLONA," Captain C. Haesloop, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 5th February	I-
17. Queen's Road Central, Marine Hounder the Telegraph Companies' Office A CHEE & Co.	***** **	ary, at TEN A.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,	
Hongkong, 21st January, 1888. THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOG WHARF AND GODOWN COMPAN	RISKS accepted at CUBRENT RATES ON PREMIA.	Hongkong, 28th January, 1888. [23	4
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nfter which a Rent of 3 cents per Bale month will be Charged. ISAAC HUGHES	Agents for the above Company, are prepared	to the 6th February	
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66	Hongkong, te . January, 1994.	NAGASAKI SHANGHAI, KOBE, &c	Anadyr (str.)
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